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CHASING THE OVAL ON EASTERN GRIDIRONS.

After Very Exciting Games, Yale Defeats Princeton and Harvard Is Beaten by University of Pennsylvania.

Brilliant Plays Gain the Victory by a Score of 6 to 0.

BANN RECEIVES PLAUDITS.

A Cold Field With Stands Warmed by Thousands of Rooters.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

NEW HAVEN, Conn., Nov. 20.—The Yale and Princeton men awoke to find the day dawning full of the most discouraging indications. Every prospect pointed to the playing of the great football game on a field wet and slippery, perhaps slushy, while thousands of spectators shivered in the grand stands, in snow or rain. At daybreak snow was falling hard, driven fiercely by a brisk wind from the northeast.

The weather did not prevent football enthusiasm and by 9 o'clock the thoroughfares were filled with Princeton and Yale men, graduates and under graduates.

The gates were opened at 11 o'clock and hundreds were waiting at the entrances, and the streams of spectators soon became steady.

At 1 o'clock, one-quarter of the grand stand seats had occupants. The gridiron was in splendid condition. The wind was blowing a gale and coming down the enclosure lengthwise from the north north-east it swept the grand stand with great fierceness.

At just 1:59 both teams came on the gridiron at both ends, led by their captains.

Both teams passed the ball while referee Langford of Trinity tossed the coins and the elevens lined up as follows.

Yale.	Position.	Princeton.
Hazen	left end	Craig
Rogers (captain)	left tackle	Holt
Chadwick	left guard	Crowdis
Caldwellader	Center	Booth
Brown	right end	Edwards
Chamberlain	right tackle	Hildebrant
Hill	right end	Cochran (captain)
De Saulles	quarter back	Baird
Dudley	left half back	Bannard
Benjamin	right half back	Setze
McBride	full back	Wheeler

Officers for game: Umpires: Daniels, Lehigh; referee, Langford of Trinity; linesmen, Messrs. Bovlard of Princeton; Cowland of Yale; timekeepers: Messrs. Smith, Yale; Coyne, Princeton.

2 P. M.—Princeton won the toss and took the north end with the wind behind and, in a trice, the battle was on. Wind had fallen away and was now light and fitful.

2:15—McBride kicked off for Yale to Princeton's 15-yard line. Baird returned it. McBride kicked against and Wheeler caught and carried it five yards.

2:17—Reiter made three yards and Bannard four through Yale's line. Bannard carried through left tackle again for four yards and Reiter did the same for 30.

Yale gets the ball on downs and Benjamin made 4 yards around left and then Dudley did the same for Yale. Benjamin and Dudley alternated again and together gained six more around Craig.

The ball is now in the center of field in Yale's possession.

2:22—Chamberlain gained four yards through Hildebrand and McBride then kicked to De Saulles when he was downed on Yale's 45-yard line.

2:24—Dudley could not gain around left end and McBride kicked into the line.

2:25—Reiter made a yard through center and then repeated the performance for 3 yards. Bannard got by Rogers for 4 yards.

2:28—On an ends-back play, Reiter could make no headway and it was Yale's ball on downs on her 30-yard line.

2:29—Benjamin carried through the center 3 yards. Dudley got by Craig for four yards and then Benjamin again went at the line without gain. Rogers tried through tackle and Princeton got the pigskin on downs. Bannard tried left end but fumbled and Rogers fell. McBride kicked out of bounds. Baird returned to Yale's 30-yard line.

2:30—Cochran of Princeton is injured but not seriously and returns to his place.

2:31—Dudley tried center for no gain McBride kicked to Wheeler and Baird punted to Benjamin at Yale's 15-yard line. McBride kicked out of bounds. Ball at Yale's 40-yard line.

2:38—Bannard went through Rogers for three yards and Wheeler did the same. Reiter plunged by Rogers again and made his distance. Princeton is hammering Yale's line hard. Bannard found a hole between Rogers and Chadwick and made four yards.

2:40—Reiter got one yard around Hall but Bannard passed Rogers for three yards. Wheeler made one through center. Princeton tried a criss-cross, but fumbled. Both passed for a kick but the ball went too high and Baird missed it. Rogers fell on the ball, at Yale's 50-yard line.

2:45—Benjamin went between Cochran and Hildebrand for two yards and Dudley tried Holt for no gain. Benjamin went between Holt and Craig for five yards. Rogers was sent at the same place and made six yards. Benjamin tried Holt for no gain. Dudley was also unsuccessful on the same play. It is Princeton's ball, on Yale's 50-yard line.

2:58—On two trials Princeton could not gain and Baird kicked from Yale's 15-yard line. The ball was returned to Yale's 35-yard line.

2:59—Reiter could not get by Chadwick. He did no better against Chamberlain and Baird boldly tried a goal from field. The ball went into the line, but Hildebrant fell on it on Yale's 40-yard line. Reiter could not gain by Hall and then Rogers tackled Bannard for a toss.

3 P. M.—Baird kicked into line again. Chamberlain got the ball and it was Yale's on Princeton's 50-yard line. Benajmin went through Holt for 5 yards.

3:02—Dudley carried by Holt for a yard and Benjamin through Holt for a yard. Dudley tried the same for an equal distance and Benjamin duplicated the play. Dudley passed Craig for a yard and McBride punted to Baird, who caught it on Princeton's 20-yard line.

3:05—Baird lost 5 yards on an attempted kick as a result of a poor pass. Reiter made one yard by Hall and Baird kicked to De Saulles at Princeton's 50-yard line.

3:07—Dudley gained a hard past Craig, making a gain of a yard and McBride kicked to Baird on Princeton's 25-yard line. The latter sent the ball flying back to Yale's 30-yard line. Dudley went around Craig's end for 5 yards and McBride bucked the tiger center for 2 yards. Dudley again went at left end for 3 yards and McBride tried the line once more without gain. Dudley went around Craig still again and then McBride kicked to Baird.

3:10—Baird punted back to Yale's 50-yard line. De Saulles folded his arms around the ball and brought every spectator to his feet by a beautiful run to Princeton's 25-yard line.

3:12—McBride fumbled on the next pass, and Booth fell on the ball for Princeton. Baird punted to Yale's 50-yard line. De Saulles carried the ball back 8 yards before he was downed.

A mistake in signals lost a yard to Yale on the next pass, and McBride kicked to Princeton's 15-yard line. Baird carried the ball back 10 yards, and then the referee's whistle ended the half at 3:21 with the ball in the Tigers' possession on their own 35-yard line.

Score—Yale 0, Princeton 0.

3:25—The teams have returned to the field, Lathrop replacing Cochran at Princeton's right end. Baird kicked off to Yale's 10-yard line. De Saulles carried the ball back 10 yards before he was downed. McBride kicked to Princeton's 45-yard line. Baird kicked again to Yale's 40-yard line, and De Saulles again made 10 yards headway before being downed. McBride kicked to Princeton's 10-yard line, and it is Princeton's ball. Baird punted to Yale's 35-yard line.

3:36—McBride could not get around Lathrop, but Dudley made 5 yards, getting past Craig. Baird is injured.

3:38—Baird is up again and in his place, a little crippled. In the next play Bannard is laid up. Both of the injured men are rather weak. The Yale team is apparently in fine shape.

3:39—Both Bannard and Baird continue to play. McBride ran through Hildebrant for his distance and then Dudley made three yards around Craig's end. The Yale rooters are in high feather and sing and cheer continuously.

3:40—Reiter of Princeton is laid off and "King" Kelly, the star Tiger half back takes his place.

3:43—Benjamin could not gain on his next try for a hole through Hildebrant.

3:45—Wheeler punts 25 yards and it was Yale's ball. McBride went five yards through center. Dudley made three yards through Princeton's line; on the next pass Dudley went through again to Princeton's 5-yard line.

3:50—Yale scores a touchdown. Dudley carried the ball. The scene that followed was almost beyond description. The stands on all sides seemed to be a mass of wildly waving blue flags.

The Contest Was Fought in the Teeth of a Strong Wind and Falling Snow.

PARKER'S RUN OF 55 YARDS.

Quakers' Prowess Rewarded by a Score of Fifteen to Six.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 20.—The day for the annual football battle between the University of Pennsylvania and Harvard dawned most unfavorably. The lowering clouds threatened rain at almost any moment. There was scarcely enough wind to ruffle the long blue and crimson streamers which gaily decorated the buildings in the business section of the city.

A comparison of the two teams shows Pennsylvania a shade stronger, and this, with the encouragement the red and blue will receive from their rooters, should land the game for the Quakers.

When the teams lined up there were about 25,000 persons in the big amphitheater. A few minutes before 2 o'clock it was announced that Captain Cabot would not play.

The teams lined up as follows:

Pennsylvania.		Harvard.
Boyle	left end	Richardson
Goodman	left tackle	Wheeler
Hare	left guard	Bouve
Overfield	center	Doucette
McCracken	right guard	Haskell
Outland	right tackle	Mills (Houghton)
Hedges	right end	Moulton
Weeks	quarterback	Garrison
Jackson	left halfback	Dibblee
Morice	right halfback	Parker
Minds	fullback	Houghton (Mills)

The officials were: James Bereham, referee; C. R. Wickoff of Cornell, umpire.

2:02 P. M.—Penna won the toss and chose the east goal.

Linesmen—Goodrich for Harvard; Fontesque for Pennsylvania.

2:07—Houghton kicks off for Harvard, out of bounds.

2:09—Harvard's ball in middle of field.

2:11—Dibblee fifteen yards around left end.

2:13—Pennsylvania's ball on her 5-yard line.

2:22—Minds punts to Pennsylvania's 35-yard line. Harvard has the ball.

2:23—Pennsylvania's ball on a fumble. Minds punts. Harvards have the ball on her 25-yard line for a free kick Houghton punts out of bounds.

2:24—Houghton punts. Minds carries the ball back 15 yards. Pennsylvania has the ball on Harvard's 45-yard line.

2:26—Houghton punts to Morice. Morice carries the ball back 25 yards. Pennsylvania gets the ball on Harvard's 25-yard line.

2:28—Pennsylvania carried the ball to Harvard's 15-yard line. A Harvard man is injured.

2:29—Jackson made five yards on the quarterback kick. Ball on Harvard's 10-yard line.

2:35—Harvards get the ball on a fumble.

2:38—Houghton kicks to Harvard's 33-yard line.

2:39—Morice tried for a goal from the Pennsylvania 35-yard line but misses. Houghton kicks.

2:43—Ball on Harvard's 20-yard line.

2:45—Minds kicks goal from the field on place kick from Harvard's 25-yard line.

Score—Pennsylvania 5; Harvard 0.

2:46—Houghton kicks. Morice returns punt. Harvard's ball on her 50-yard line.

2:48—Houghton kicks to Pennsylvania Harvard's 40-yard line. Boyle is hurt.

2:50—Houghton kicks to Pennsylvania's 25-yard line. Minds returns kick to Harvard's 45-yard line.

Houghton punts Pennsylvania's ball on her 35-yard line. Minds punts to Harvard's 15-yard line. Harvard has the ball.

2:52—Houghton punts to Pennsylvania's 50-yard line. Pennsylvania's got the ball. Minds returns the punt to Harvard's 15-yard line. Harvards have the ball.

2:54—Houghton punts Pennsylvania's ball is on Harvard's 45-yard line.

2:57—Minds punts. Harvards have the ball on their 3-yard line.

2:58—Houghton kicks. Morice makes free catch and is given 15 yards on a foul tackle. Pennsylvanias get the ball on Harvard's 50-yard line.

3:03—Pennsylvanias have the ball on

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MACHINES CAN RUN.

Chief Lloyd Will Allow the Slot Devices to Be Played.

FULL VALUE MUST BE GIVEN.

A Cigar to Be Received for Each Nickel That Is Dropped.

OWNERS AGREE TO THE RULE.

Lengthy Conference Held Today With the Head City Officials.

A delegation of the owners of the little card nickel-in-the-slot machines, which have been prohibited by Chief of Police Lloyd, assembled in the office of Mayor Thomas this morning to discuss the situation.

After explaining to Mayor Thomas the manner in which the machines were being run, a general discussion of the subject was indulged in. The card owners claimed that they were giving players a drink or cigar every time a player invested a nickel in the machine and in so doing they eliminated every element of chance. When run in this manner, they said, the machines were perfectly legal. They could not see how the Chief could prohibit the machines and still allow drug and tea stores to continue to give prizes to the persons holding winning coupons in the drawings for crockery, bluetland ponies, etc.

Mayor Thomas wished to have Chief Lloyd and Prosecuting Attorney Melvin present at the conference. As Chief Lloyd was away at the time the meeting was adjourned till this afternoon at half-past one o'clock. Before the merchants dispersed, however, Prosecuting Attorney Melvin was called and he agreed to furnish an opinion this afternoon, stating that the opinion printed in last evening's Tribune would not apply to the cases as presented by the machine owners.

Among those present at the afternoon meeting besides the Mayor, Chief of Police and Mr. Melvin, were Robert Boyer, Fred Campbell, M. Scharmann, I. Flaush, Alex Hirshberg, M. Knerzel, L. Bercovich, J. Rosenberg, C. H. Kucks and Mr. Hall.

When the machine owners had assembled in the afternoon, Mayor Thomas stated that the object of the meeting was to discuss the matter of the card machines and Chief of Police Lloyd was called upon to give his side of the case.

Chief Lloyd stated that a few weeks ago the machines had been taken out and that the owners had put them back with the understanding that they were to give the player a cigar for each nickel that was put into the machine. He then found that the machine owners were not doing this, but that a great many of the owners were violating the law by indirection, using the practice of giving the player a cigar as a subterfuge.

Mr. Flbush then asked the Chief if anyone had made complaint to him in regard to the machines and the Chief stated that he had received a great many complaints.

Mr. Campbell asked if there was any law which allowed any man to put a price upon a man's goods and the Chief answered that there was such a law for some cases.

Prosecuting Attorney Melvin said that the question of whether the cigar given with the nickel was the value of a nickel would have to be settled by a jury. That, he said, was a question of fact and not of law. If the jury decided that the intent of the machine owners was to evade the law by giving a worthless article for the nickel, then the owner would be violating the law Mr. Melvin said it seemed to him that the best thing to do would be to make a test case of the matter.

Mr. Campbell said the machine owners would guarantee to give a five-cent cigar every time the machine was played. The cigar dealers, he said, would do this to stimulate trade. He had already, he said, received opinions that such would be legal from such men as A. A. Moore, Melvin C. Chapman, the Metcalfs, Judge Nusbaumer, and others.

Then Mayor Thomas asked the direct opinion of Mr. Melvin:

"If the cigar man give a bona fide nickel cigar every time the machines are played, would it be in violation of either section 319 or 330 of the Penal Code?"

Mr. Melvin answered that it would not be in violation of section 319, and that upon investigation he had concluded that it would not be in violation of section 330. He had thought at first that the game would be a banking one, but he had found that it would be a lottery, rather than a banking game. The section, he said, used the word "bet," prohibiting betting at or against the game. The giving of a cigar for each nickel would eliminate the betting.

Chief Lloyd stated that if Mr. Melvin advised that the machines were legal that would settle it, so far as he was concerned. He had always acted fairly with the business men of the town, and all he desired was that they would treat him in the same way.

Some further discussion followed.

The Chief of Police finally agreed to allow the machines to run so long as the owners would give value for the money received.

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IT IS STILL SMOULDERING.

Days Must Elapse Before the Embers Can Be Quenched.

AMERICANS LOSE HEAVILY

Much of the Insurance Placed in the United States' Companies.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

LONDON, Nov. 20.—A number of fire engines are still playing upon the smouldering ruins which mark the scene of the great conflagration near the general postoffice yesterday. Walls are falling every now and then. The last flames disappeared by 11 o'clock this morning. The official report says the cause of the fire is unknown.

A large number of warehouses from five to six stories high have been burned and have partly fallen, the whole covering an area of 200 by 150 yards, bounded by Nicholls Square, Edmund Place, Jewin Crescent, Australian Avenue, Paul's Alley and Red Cross street

The burned district is surrounded by enormous crowds and they are running excursion trains from the country.

In spite of the magnitude of the disaster only two firemen were slightly injured during the work of extinguishing the flames.

About 300 firms are seeking for new offices. The estimates of the amount of damage done range from $10,000,000 to $60,000,000, but according to the best opinion, the loss is about $10,000,000.

Consols and India three per cents have fallen heavily on the belief that the losses will necessitate heavy sales by insurance companies and most of the insurance companies shares have dropped 10 to 15 shillings.

The Standard in its financial article this afternoon says it is believed that the bulk of losses will fall upon American insurance companies.

In yesterday's fire, streets a quarter of a mile in length were involved. 160 great warehouses were destroyed, 300 important firms and hundreds of minor ones were burned out.

At midnight, the scene was appalling. The flames had been extinguished, but the vast block of warehouses, as far as the eye could reach, right and left, was one huge furnace, filled with a mass of smouldering ashes, on which streams from numerous hydrants seemed to make no sensible impression. The streets ran like rivers. Twenty steamers were pumping water through gaping windows of burned out buildings, while the sky overhead for miles around reflected the lurid glare of still glowing embers.

Every avenue leading to the scene of the fire was blocked by the police.

The reason why the fire assumed such gigantic dimensions was, first, because of the highly inflammable character of the contents of dry goods and tobacconist warehouses where it originated; second, because of the extreme difficulty of handling it effectively owing to the exceptional narrowness of the surrounding streets. Few of these streets permit two vehicles to pass abreast, and the fire brigade had therefore great difficulty in manipulating the engines and getting them into position. The delay thus caused gave the fire tremendous headway.

In the early stages of the fire the flames tore up through the elevator shafts of the warehouses and spread over each successive floor with incredible rapidity; then bursting out through the windows they roasted the fronts of the houses on the opposite side which smoked and cracked until their woodwork broke into fire.

It will be several days before the fire is completely extinguished and the ruins thoroughly explored.

The conviction is general that the London fire brigade is entirely too small to deal with a great emergency, though the energy and resources of Chief Wells and the courage of the men are fully recognized.

The insurance companies give an optimistic view of the losses, their estimates ranging from $1,500,000 to $4,000,000. It is a fact that dozens of the burned out firms were not insured, in some cases because they were considered to be undesirable customers and in others because the locality has long been considered dangerous by insurance companies. The latter assert that the sensational rumors regarding the losses have been promoted on the stock Exchange in order to influence stocks.

All the historic treasures of Cripplegate Church were removed, including the records of Oliver Cromwell's marriage, Milton's burial and the deaths of the plague in 1665.

ATTACKING THE PRIMARY LAW.

Cator, the Populist, to Take the Matter to the Supreme Court.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 20.—All arrangements have been made to bring the new primary election law, passed at the last session of the Legislature, before the Supreme Court for a decision as to its constitutionality.

At a recent meeting of the executive committee of the Populist party resolutions were passed instructing Thomas V. Cator, the legal light of the organization, to take steps to test the act. Although the law is looked to by the people of the State, and particularly of this city, as a deliverance from the arbitrary control of the bosses, it is not generally known that there is already pending in the Superior Court of Tulare county a case which was brought as a preliminary step towards the overthrow of the enactment.

The Supreme Court will be asked to make an exception in favor of this case and decide it at as early a date as possible, because of the great importance of the matter involved to the people of the entire State.

MRS. SPRINGER WILL GET HER CHILDREN.

She Obtains a Writ of Habeas Corpus and Defeats Her Husband.

Judge Hall today granted the petition of Delia Springer for a writ of habeas corpus. She represented that her two minor children are illegally imprisoned and restrained of their liberty by Helen Springer at 1810 Louisa street, Berkeley. The latter is commanded to produce the two children in court Monday at 9 A. M.

This proceeding is the result of a family feud in which Helen Springer grandmother of the two children, espoused her son's side of the feud.

Delia Springer and husband are residents of Berkeley, where they are widely known. He has represented in court that his wife was unfit to have the care and custody of the two children by reason of her intemperate conduct. This she denies. The children are 1 and 2 years old.

MARY F. M'SORLEY CHARGES CONSPIRACY.

Administrator King and Charles H. Smith Accused by the Plaintiff.

Mary F. McSorley today petitioned the Superior Court for the removal of the administrator of Captain John W. Smith's estate. She charges him and Charles H. Smith with conspiracy and fraud, and cites alleged instances of misdoings by King. The latter is cited to show cause before Judge Ogden on November 29th, at 10 A. M.

Chewed Colored Paper.

Jeanette Lamont, the 4-year-old child of a blacksmith residing at 924 Thirty-sixth street, was taken with violent pains last night after she had chewed some colored paper torn from a fire screen. The child was hurried to Dr. E. M. Patterson, who recommended that she be taken to the Receiving Hospital, saying she was suffering from arsenical poisoning and might not live to get there. At the hospital, Dr. Robert Stratton and Dr. Arthur Lee took charge of the case and in an hour had the little one out of danger.

Track Repairs.

City Engineer Clement has completed the establishment of the grades of the curves on the East Oakland electric roads and the company is now repairing the tracks.

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TODAY'S RACES.

OAKLAND RACE TRACK, Nov. 20—First race—Horatio, 7 to 5; Plexotto, even; Don Carlito, 50 to 1; Lucky Dog, scratched.

Second Race.—Howard, 15 to 1; Miss Reinsen, 3 to 1; Major Crok, 3 to 1.

Third race—Clarence, 7 to 1; Behan, 4 to 1; Judge Terry, 6 to 1.

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CHASING THE OVAL.

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Harvard's 15-yard line.

3:05—The ball is on Harvard's 2-yard line.

3:06—Minds scores touch down and kicks goal.

Score: Pennsylvania 11; Harvard 0.

3:08—Houghton kicks, Morice returns kick to middle. Harvards have the ball in mid-field.

3:10—Houghton kicks. Pennsylvania's ball on her 25-yard line.

3:12—Minds kicks to midfield.

3:15—Parker makes 55 yards for a touchdown for Harvard. Houghton kicks goal.

Score: Pennsylvania, 11; Harvard 6.

3:16—Morice kicks to Harvard's 20-yard line. Garrison brings it back to Harvard's 40-yard line.

3:17—Pennsylvanias have the ball on down on Harvard's 45-yard line when time for first half called.

Score: Pennsylvania, 11; Harvard, 6.

During the first half the University boys outplayed Harvard at almost every point. About the only gain the crimson made was the run of Parker.

3:32—Second half begins. Morice kicks for Pennsylvania. Harvard's ball on her 35-yard line.

3:33—Pennsylvania gets the ball on a fumble. The ball on Harvard's 25-yard line.

3:37—Minds makes 25 yards on double pass. Ball on Harvard's 10-yard line. Haskell injured. Hoale takes his place. Hare scores a touch-down for Pennsylvania.

3:38—Overfield punts out. Houghton blocks kick. Score, Pennsylvania, 15; Harvard, 6.

3:40—Harvard kicks to Pennsylvania's five-yard line. Morice runs to 20-yard line. Pennsylvania's ball on her 20-yard line.

3:41—Minds kicks, Dibblee fumbles. Pennsylvania's ball in mid-field. Minds kicked to Harvard's 20-yard line.

3:44—Houghton kicked to mid-field. Pennsylvania's ball. Minds punts to Harvard's 25-yard line.

3:45—Houghton punts. Minds returns kick. Pennsylvania gets ball on fumble. Pennsylvania's ball on Harvard's 25-yard line.

3:48—Harvard's ball on Minds' fumble, on her 15-yard line. Houghton kicks. Pennsylvania's ball in mid-field.

3:54—Pennsylvania's ball on fumble on Pennsylvania's 35-yard line. Minds kicks to Harvard's 25-yard line.

3:57—Houghton kicks, Minds returns. Houghton again kicks to Pennsylvania's 30-yard line.

3:59—Minds punts out of bounds. Harvard's ball on her 35-yard line. Houghton punts. Pennsylvania's ball on her 30-yard line. Harvard man hurt.

4:01—Minds punts to Harvard for the 30-yard line.

4:03—Houghton punts. Pennsylvania's ball on her 30-yard line.

4:06—Minds kicks to Harvard's 25-yard line. Dibblee brings it back 15 yards.

4:07—Houghton kicks. Pennsylvania's ball on their 30-yard line.

Cadwalader kicked goal.

Score—Yale 6, Princeton 0.

The second half was replete with good plays.

4:33—Game called with ball within four yards of Princeton's line.

Final score—Yale 6, Princeton 0.

4:19—Ball on Harvard's 30-yard line, taken there by plunges through the line by McCracken and Hare.

4:12—Ball is now on Harvard's 12-yard line.

4:15—Harvard's ball on downs on her two-yard line. Houghton kicked to Harvard's 35-yard line. Pennsylvania's ball.

4:13—Harvard's ball on fumble. Houghton kicks and Minds returns. Harvard's ball on her 30-yard line. Houghton and Minds again exchange kicks. Harvard's ball on her 35-yard line.

4:21—Houghton again kicks, Morice returns.

4:23—Parker is replaced by Swain.

4:25—Houghton and Morice exchange punts. Harvard's ball on her 20-yard line.

4:26—Houghton kicks. Pennsylvania's ball on Harvard's 50-yard line. Garrison goes out; Cochran takes his place.

4:28—Ball on Harvard's 18-yard line.

4:29—Minds tries for field goal, Harvard blocks the ball.

Time up.

Final score: Pennsylvania, 15; Harvard, 6.

When the time was called it was Harvard's ball on her 25-yard line.

THE RESULTS ON THE OTHER FIELDS.

Lafayette Beats Wesleyan by an Overwhelming Score.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

EASTON, Pa., Nov. 20.—First half: Lafayette, 18; Wesleyan, 6.

Final—Lafayette, 41; Wesleyan, 6.

AT WEST POINT.

WEST POINT, Nov. 20.—First half: West Point, 22; Brown, 0.

Final score: West Point, 42; Brown, 0.

OTHER GAMES.

CAMBRIDGE, Nov. 20.—Final score: Harvard freshmen, 34; Yale freshmen, 0.

WILLIAMSTOWN, Mass., Nov. 20.—Final score: Dartmouth, 52; Williams, 0.

LO NOT GOOD AS A BOY-IN-BLUE.

No More Attempts Will Be Made to Convert Him Into a Soldier.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Nov. 20.—The Government has decided to make no further experiments with Indians as soldiers. The young Sioux who attracted so much attention in the uniform of Uncle Sam's cavalrymen at the World's Fair have all been discharged from the Army, and it has just been decided to abandon the attempt to make soldiers of them. The officers of the army who were assigned to recruit and command the Indian troops made every effort to bring the Indians to obey military discipline, but the plan was a failure, and it was found practically impossible to make them good soldiers. Hereafter, Indians will be used only as scouts.

MORE DIPTHERIA CASES.

Another Member of the Carlson Family Stricken With the Disease.

Two more cases of diphtheria were reported at the Health Office this morning. One of these was at the Carlson home at 1366 Tenth street.

Yesterday, Otto R. Carlson, a child of 7 years, succumbed to an attack of diphtheria, after an illness of several days and this morning it was reported that another member of the family had been stricken with the dread disease. The cause of the disease at the Tenth street home is undoubtedly due to the unsanitary condition of the plumbing, and Health Officer Dunn will do everything in his power to remedy the evil, not only at the Carlson home, but throughout the city.

Dr. Dunn will send out circulars to families giving directions for disinfecting premises.

CONVEYED LAND TO HIS OFFICIAL TITLE.

Archbishop Riordon Transfers Land From His Personal Name.

There was filed in the County Recorder's office yesterday two deeds from Patrick W. Riordan of the city and county of San Francisco, conveying to "The Roman Catholic Archbishop of San Francisco," (a religious corporation sole), forty-one pieces of real estate situated in Alameda county.

In one of the two deeds forty pieces of property were conveyed, and this deed was made August 25, 1896. The other deed bears date of March 20, 1897. The effect of these deeds is to vest the title of all Catholic Church property located in the towns and cities and hamlets of Alameda county, in the above named corporation, instead of in the Archbishop personally, to be held by him for the church as previously.

J. H. BRUNS FAILS.

J. H. Bruns, for ten years past a coal dealer in Alameda, has filed a petition asking to be declared insolvent. His debts aggregate $15,869, with estimated assets of $6,235. Among the largest creditors are J. C. Westphal & Son for $2,012; Oregon Improvement Company, $703; J. P. Taylor, $711; R. D. Chandler, $239; Bank of Alameda, $2,268; R. Young $1,500; Mrs. Flynn, $1,035; H. Cowell & Company, $1,448; F. P. Fisher, $2,000; C. Bruns, $750; J. E. Fisher, $500. Of Brun's total indebtedness, $10,660 is due on promissory notes given for borrowed money and merchandise purchased by him in the past few years.

Death of an Old Lady.

Mary Jane Alvord, a native of England, aged 82 years, died at her home at East Twenty-sixth street and Thirteenth avenue yesterday. The funeral will take place to-morrow and the remains will be interred in Mountain View Cemetery. Mrs. Alvord had lived in Oakland for two years.

Train and Wagon Collide.

The 11 o'clock train from the city ran into a wagon belonging to the Anchor Brewery this morning at Seventh and Center streets. The wagon was only slightly damaged, and both driver and horses escaped unhurt.

SOUGHT HIS LIFE.

Disclosing the Plot to Kill President Moraes in Brazil.

HIGH OFFICIALS IMPLICATED.

Light Shed on the Object by the Confession of De Mello.

ONE OF THE SUSPECTS SUICIDES

He Takes His Life in His Cell While Awaiting His Trial.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

NEW YORK, Nov. 20.—A dispatch to the Herald from Rio Janeiro says: "Further discoveries made by the police, coupled with a written confession by Mello, the soldier who tried to kill President Moraes, leave no doubt that the attempt on the president's life was the result of a gigantic conspiracy headed by many men who held high official positions under the government.

"The revelations made by Mello are highly important. He gives the names of many officials who were in the plot, though these names are carefully withheld. Several more arrests have been made and all the prisoners are kept in close confinement. Among the last to be arrested is Deputy Jose Mariano.

In reply to a question from Deputy Correlia, as to why members of the Chamber of Deputies were arrested before martial law was established, the minister of justice has sent a note to the president of the Chamber, stating that the government cannot give an explanation until after the trials of those arrested as conspirators.

"Senor Manuel Estrella, nephew of the governor of Bahia, who was arrested in connection with the conspiracy, committed suicide in prison.

"Brazilian naval officials, who during the last revolution joined the insurgents, have been pardoned and have returned to service. They called on and personally thanked President Moraes for his clemency.

"Great discontent is manifested by the Jacobines. Many of them may join a new republican party now being organized by those officials who took part in the rebellion and who have been pardoned. The candidate of this party for president will probably be Senor Julio Castillos, governor of Rio Grande.

CLEVERLY EVADED THE RESTRICTIONS.

Mrs. Matilda Miller Gets Into the Hospital by Feigning Insanity.

Physicians Pronounce Her a Fit Subject for the Infirmary.

Mrs. Matilda Miller, who was forced into the insane ward of the Receiving Hospital last night, will be sent to the County Infirmary. It was a clever ruse by which she was gotten rid of at 875 Washington street, where she had a room and was in arrears for rent.

The woman is an unfortunate, who became addicted to the use of morphine. Her two sons were also "dope" fiends, and when they burglarized the St. Lawrence House, several months ago, were sent to San Quentin.

Mrs. Miller was kept in the County Jail six months as a vagrant. A month ago she was released. She declares she has not resumed the morphine habit. But she is much emaciated, and her body is covered with ulcerated sores, the result of morphine and disease.

It was 4 o'clock yesterday, when Steward Tobin of the Receiving Hospital was informed by telephone that Mrs. Miller was very ill in the lodging house at 875 Washington street, and immediate medical attention was needed. Tobin replied that a permit from Supervisor Church or some other Supervisor was necessary if it was desired to place the woman in the Receiving Hospital, as the rules did not contemplate such an emergency case.

Instead of getting a permit, a charge was made at the Sheriff's office that the woman was insane, and under the law she was taken by Jailer William Lane to the insane ward of the Receiving Hospital and given in Keeper William Keating's charge. Drs. Blood and Fisher were called, and found the woman apparently suffering from nervous prostration, but clear mentally.

However, as she had been charged with insanity, an examination was held today by Drs. Fisher and Blood, who pronounced the woman a fit candidate for the County Infirmary, but not insane.

She will be sent to the latter institution.

JUMPED THE TRACK.

(Special to Tribune.)

HAYWARDS, Nov. 20—An outgoing freight train jumped the track near Haywards shortly before noon today. No one was hurt, but all travel was blocked. The engine and the first two cars left the track and were ditched.

The wrecking train was immediately dispatched to the scene and after several hours' work managed to get the cars on the rails again.

Judge Greene Ill.

Judge Greene was quite ill this morning and unable to preside at the trial of Ludwig Streaber. The case went over until Monday afternoon at 1:30.

SOME FIGURES ON PARK PROPOSITIONS.

A. S. Macdonald Prepares a Statement Concerning the Various Sites.

A. S. Macdonald has prepared the following statement with regard to the various park sites, which he has furnished to the press for publication:

	Assessed for.	Asking Price.	Percentage of Asking Price Above Assessed Valuation.
Dimond tract	$100 per acre	$6.2 per acre	512 per cent
Medau tract	40 per acre	210 per acre	425 per cent
Simson tract	25 per acre	126 per acre	404 per cent
Sather tract	408 per acre	1285 per acre	215 per cent
Blair tract	452 per acre	1072 per acre	137 per cent
Rockridge tract	300 per acre	553 per acre	79 per cent
Adams tract	3000 per acre	*3870 per acre.	29 per cent

*After deducting $50,000 donation.

DIMOND TRACT.

	Land.	Imps.
225.20 acres	$22,500	$3,500

MEDAU TRACT.

470 acres	18,800	1,000

SIMSON TRACT.

1183 acres	29,400	4,000

SATHER TRACT.

	Land.	Imps.	
Plot 25—181 acres	$9,200	$1,200	
Plot 91—19.25 acres	12,000	250	
Plot 91—7.70 acres	2,000	.....	
Plot 91—42.25 acres	10,000	.....	
			116,000
			1,450

(The above 7.70 acres and 42.25 acres are assessed to the Realty Syndicate). Total, 283.90 acres.

BLAIR TRACT.

	Land.	Imps.		
Plot 14—26 acres	$30,375	$1,200		
Plot 15—18 acres	7,200	.....		
Plot 17—92 acres	37,000	500		
Plot 28—87 acres	26,100	1,000		
Plot 15—7 acres	3,450	.....		
Total, 230 acres.			104,125	2,700

ROCKRIDGE TRACT.

	Land.		
J. M. Merrill plot 33—26.81 acres	$12,000		
J. M. Merrill plot "G"—74.72 acres	15,000		
Chas. E. Livermore—18.54 acres	7,650		
H. P. Livermore—36.33 acres	16,000		
Olive L. Eastland—36.93 acres	15,300		
Marg't E. Crocker—36.07 acres	20,700		
Total, 279.40 acres.		86,700	1,000

ADAMS TRACT.

62 acres	186,000	.....

Played His Last Game

"Confound the luck! Jerry, you will have to drive me out to the game this afternoon, and I'll have to sit in the carriage all the time. Old Doc Pearce said last night that if I go to jumping around I'll do my leg again, sure as shooting," grumbled Fred Benton from his couch.

"Of course, you'll have to keep still, but never mind, for we can go early and get a place as near the rope as possible so you can see. Here's a fudge to sweeten you up," said Constance, otherwise Jerry, as she tossed a sweetmeat onto the rug her brother had thrown over his legs.

They were in the pleasant old sitting room in their home in the little college town of Wilson. Both were comely young people, though for the time the young man's face was disfigured and a leg was actually disabled in consequence of a recent football game. Of course the Benton family disapproved of this sport. Mrs. Benton pleaded. Constance now faintly protested and now enthused, while Mr. Benton said it was all bosh and darned foolishness, but he never missed a game.

"By the way, Jerry, have you a supply of buntings?" We must rag out the old phaeton."

"Yes; John and I will fix it up after he has driven papa downtown. Say, Fred, it does amuse me to see dear old pop go through the motions of going down to business today and finally bring up at the game," said Constance.

They laughed merrily over their father's little failing.

"And do you know, Jerry, the old gentleman always bets a little on the game."

"Now, Fred," protested the girl, but they both went off into another gale of laughter.

"Constance," said Mrs. Benton, appearing at the door, "come away and let Fred rest; he will have enough excitement if he goes out this afternoon. I do wish you wouldn't go, Fred."

"Now, mother, don't you worry your head about me," returned Fred in the usual manner young Americans have of disposing of objections from their elders. "I'll wear as many toes as you like, but I've got to see it. Get whizz if the fellows don't get into the game and win, I'll—

"Of course they'll win. Now keep quiet till lunch time," said Constance, as she and her mother left the room.

After lunch the man drove Mr. Benton downtown as usual, and, returning, left the horse at the front door for the young people. Constance decorated the phaeton with yards of cardinal bunting, while Fred sat on the piazza hailing the various college friends who passed.

The little town was gay with bunting; smart coupages dashed about the streets gathering up enthusiastic people who were bedecked with red streamers and waved red flags from canes and umbrellas. Small boys tagged after young men in the football suits, looking for an opportunity to do some small service which would be rewarded by free admittance to the field. Occasionally groups of three or four men wearing orange streamers were to be seen, but they must have felt like champions of a defeated cause in such a glare of cardinal.

Fred Benton limped down the walk and with John's help got into the phaeton. Constance gathered up the reins and they were off with flying colors. Having found a place from which they thought they could see very well, the girl "anchored the horse," as she said, by dropping the reins.

"That's one comfort about Jack," she said; "he will stand forever."

Very soon there was quite a little crowd about her carriage, for they were both popular in college circles. Some came to talk football with Fred and some to win a smile from his sweet sister. Now and then young men wearing the orange would stop for a chat and several begged Constance to accept a bit of yellow ribbon or a yellow chrysanthemum, but she waved a great American Beauty she held in her hand and refused them all with such grace that they felt more favored than offended. Fred had succeeded in collecting nearly the entire eleven of his own men at his side of the carriage and was talking earnestly with them when a member of the other team came up to greet Constance.

"How do you do, Miss Constance," said the young man, very cordially, as he extended his hand.

"Ah, Mr. Wright, you are playing again?"

"Yes, my arm is all right now and I'm in for my last game. I suppose you hope we shall win out," he laughed.

"I'm not going to say that, but I'll hope you won't get hurt.

"Thanks. And if we should win?"

"Oh, I'll wear a whole bolt of orange ribbon if you like—but there's no danger. We are in fine form," returned the girl, quoting her brother.

While they were talking the young man produced a knot of his college color from some mysterious part of his clothes and fastened it to the silver buckle on Constance's muff ribbon. He looked straight at her and said: "Please wear it. It's rather soiled—I've worn it through every game I ever played."

"Then you surely can't play without it to-day objected the girl. "You will surely lose without your talisman."

"It loses its significance if you will not keep it—I have forfeited the right to wear it. I will tell you about it sometime. I must go now,' and he was gone before Constance could undo the ribbon.

Just as the game was called, Fred said: "By George, Jerry, there's the old gentleman sitting up like a swell in Mason's tran.

It was evident from the first that the teams were pretty equally matched, and the first half was nearly over before a point was made. The Cardinals made a touchdown and kicked a goal in the last few minutes. Of course the crowd was wildly enthusiastic and cheered for their men, collectively and individually. The orange was evidently doomed.

In spite of all Constance would say, her brother tumbled out of the carriage and was in the thick of the crush of college men, who had rushed on the field, forgetting his lame leg in the excitement of the moment.

"Six to nothing, Jerry," he said exultingly when he came back. "I tell you the fellows are corkers. Never saw a man kick a goal in better shape than Cracky! I've twisted my leg unmercifully." He groaned as he climbed into the carriage.

The Cardinal and Orange lined up for the second half, the former confident, the latter determined. The twenty-two strong men surged up and down the field again and again, often coming within a few feet of a goal. Finally a young man wearing the orange made a swift dash round the enemy's end and darted down the field, but in an instant a pair of sturdy cardinal legs were after him.

Constance Benton clutched her brother's arm and half whispered: "O, Fred! That's Stephen Wright with the ball."

"I know it. Confound him!" groaned Fred, "and he can run like the wind." Everybody was watching the race with keenest interest. The two men were swift runners and had the field to themselves. As Wright went down on the ball behind the line, his pursuer, just too late, made a desperate plunge to tackle and fell heavily upon him. In an instanc McDowell rolled over and got up, but Wright did not move. It was some time before he was restored to consciousness and then half a dozen men carried him off the field. The game went on as though nothing had happened.

The man who tried to kick goal failed, and the game was soon over, the Cardinals cheering wildly over the victory.

"Well, Constance, guess we better hustle home," said Fred Benton, as the uproar subsided. "I'm nearly frozen and ache all over. My soul, girl! what's the matter? You are as white as a ghost."

O! Fred, maybe they have killed Stephens Wright," moaned the girl, looking at her brother with wide, scared eyes, and speaking for the first time since Wright was hurt.

"Why, my dear sissy, he's just knocked out for an hour or so; he'll be all right by to-morrow. I didn't know—bless me! Jerry, brace up; we shall have to beam on some of those girls we are going to pass,' added Fred, as he doffed his hat with a college man's exaggerated politeness, holding it high above his head, with an inexpressible bend in his elbow. Constance bravely smiled and bowed to the group of girls, though the tears stood thick in her sweet eyes.

One cold November afternoon, two weeks later, Constance sat alone in the old sitting room; it was too dark to embroider and too early for lights, so she sat idle before a warm grate fire. Suddenly she shrugged her shoulders impatiently and said half aloud: "Oh you silly girl—there's no reason why he should ever think of it again. I've half a mind to draw it into the fire."

Just then the maid came in with a card—Stephens Lawrence Wright.

"Yes, I am at home, Jane," said the girl. "The other room is cold, you may show Mr. Wright in here."

"Oh, Constance," murmured the young man with deep satisfaction, as he crossed the room with a quick step and took her extended hand.

"I am very glad you are able to be out again, Mr. Wright."

Her formality quenched his enthusiasm for a moment. "Well, yes, I was rather done up for awhile. My head suffered in the little encounter with McDowell. I couldn't go home for three days. But my friends hardly know me now—I'm getting to be such a dig," and Wright laughed as he added, "Have decided to get through college this year, and it keeps me busy making up a couple of studies besides the regular grind.

"I didn't have to wear a bolt of orange ribbon," suggested Constance, irrelevantly.

"Well, no, we didn't win," returned Wright, absently, and then such a suffocating silence came over them that finally, in desperation, Constance got up, saying something about lights.

The young man arose also, and coming close to her, laid a strong hand on either shoulder, and said: "Constance, one day three years ago, just as I was going out to play my first game, a friend of mine fastened a bit of orange ribbon on my jacket, saying, jestingly, that some pretty girl would be wearing it before night. In a burst of boyish sentiment I told my friend that I would wear it until I could give it to a girl whom I truly loved. He laughed at me and said he would keep track of me and know the exact day I lost my heart. Well, you know where I finally bestowed the ribbon. Did you keep it, Constance?" he asked gently.

The girl faltered for a moment, and then going into the strong arms he held out to her, she whispered, "Yes, I kept it."—The Wisconsin.

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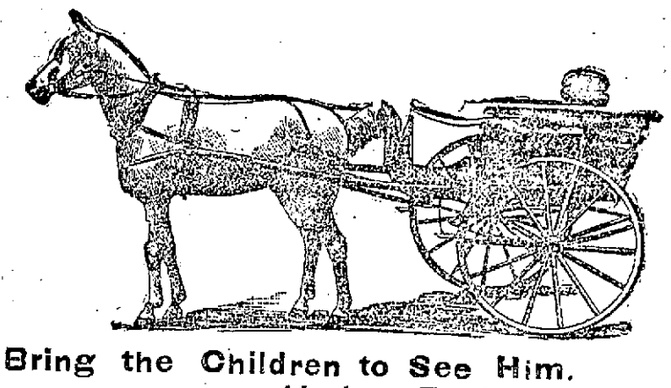

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SALVATION'S STORY FROM LOCAL PULPITS.

Announcements of Services at the Various Churches.

Thanksgiving Day to Be Generally Celebrated Throughout the City.

Thanksgiving Day services will be held as usual this year in most of the local churches. The congregations which do not hold such services will unite with some other church of their denomination.

The Church of the Advent will hold consecration service on that day. The vestry has sent out special invitations to all the former vestrymen and rectors of the church to be present at the consecration of the church on Thanksgiving Day. The rectors will go into the chancel and the vestrymen will sit in a body in front of the choir. The final meeting of the vestry, before consecration, will occur next Tuesday evening in the church parlors.

The Episcopal churches of the city will celebrate the "Sunday next before Advent" to-morrow.

Following are the announcements of the various pastors for to-morrow's services.

St. John's Episcopal Church, corner Eighth and Grove streets, Rev. F. J. Mynard, rector—Services Sunday next before Advent, 7:45 and 11 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. Sermons by the rector. Evening discourse especially to young women. Music by the usual vested choir of men and boys under the direction of Clarence T. Urmy. Sunday School at 9:40 A. M.

Brooklyn Presbyterian Church, S. S. Palmer, pastor—Morning service 11:00 o'clock; subject, "The Future Life." Evening, 7:30; subject, "Honesty in Business." Mrs. C. H. Daly, organist; Prof. Meredith, director.

Central Christian Church, Edwards Davis, minister—Morning service, 11:00 subject, "Profit and Loss in Life." Evening service, 7:30, "The Work of the Ministry."

Tenth Avenue Baptist Church—Pastor C. M. Hill will preach at 11:00 A. M. on "National Thanksgiving." At 7:30 P. M., "The Great Hymns and Their Writers."

Thirty-fourth street M. E. Church, E. Francis Brown, pastor—Morning sermon by the presiding elder, Dr. John Kirby, followed by the sacrament. The pastor will preach in the evening; subject, "Lot's Wife Turned to Salt."

Fruitvale Presbyterian Church, Fruitvale, Rev. E. E. Clark, pastor—Services at 11:00 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. Subject of morning sermon, "Prophecies of Jonah and Nahum." Subject of evening sermon, "Giving Thanks Always."

St. Andrew's Episcopal Church, West Oakland, Rev. J. Hulme, rector—Twenty-second Sunday after Trinity. Morning prayer and Holy Communion, 11.00 A. M. Evening prayer, 7:30 P. M. The Rev. W. H. Ratcliff of Berkeley will preach in the morning.

Swedish Mission Church, Filbert street near Eighth street, Rev. C. A. Nelson, pastor—Services at 11:00 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. Sunday School and Bible Class at 10:00 A. M. Young People meet at 6:30 P. M.

St. Paul's Episcopal Church, R. Ritchie, rector—Twenty-third Sunday after Trinity. Holy Communion, 8:00 A. M; Sunday School, 9:45 A. M.; morning prayer and sermon, 11:00 A. M.; evening prayer and sermon, 7:30 P. M. This church will unite with the Church of the Advent for Thanksgiving Day service.

St. Markus German Evangelical Lutheran Church, Filbert street near Seventh street—Services at 10:30 A. M. The pastor, Rev. A. Jatho, will preach, subject, "Christian Hope."

First A. M. E. Church, J. E. Edwards, pastor—Services at 10:45 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. Morning subject, "What is Conversion." Evening subject, "Why I Should Labor to Save Souls."

First Church of Christ, Scientist, Loring Hall, Eleventh and Clay streets—Sunday at 11:00 A. M., subject, "The Armor of Truth."

Oakland Psychical Society, Fraternal Hall, Washington street. At 7:30 P. M. Mme. Montague will lecture and appear in her other phases besides.

Theosophical Society—Lecture by Dr. J. A. Anderson, subject, "Religious Blasphemy." Services at Theosophical Library, Hamilton Hall, Thirteenth and Jefferson streets at 8:00 P. M. Children's Hour at 12:30 P. M.

Divine Science Church—Services in Gier's Hall, 511 Fourteenth street, at 7:45 P. M. Sermon by M. E. Cramer, pastor of First Divine Science Church of San Francisco.

The Church of Christ—Revival services at the People's Hall, 767 Sixth street, corner of Market, Sunday, at 3:00 P. M. Subject, "Salvation and Healing of Disease." At 7:30 P. M., "The Body, the Temple of the Living God," with life-size oil paintings. All invited. No collections. Dr. A. P. Trueadell, pastor, with other evangelists.

Watchers' Meeting—Rev. C. C. Herriott will preach at Watchers' Meeting at the Gospel Mission Tabernacle, Sunday, at 3:00 P. M.

John Slater, platform test medium, will hold two grand test seances at Grand Army Hall, Thirteenth near Broadway, on Sunday afternoon at 2:30 and evening at 8:00 sharp. Mr. Slater will devote the entire time at both seances to tests and messages from spirit friends. All should come that can.

First Congregational Church, Rev. Chas. R. Brown, pastor—Morning service, 11:00 o'clock, "The Man Who Look On." Evening service, 7:30 o'clock, "The Mount of Olives."

First Methodist Episcopal Church, Fourteenth and Clay streets—The pastor, Rev. Dr. Dille, will preach morning and evening. Morning subject, "Bringing Men to God." Evening, "The Race that Kills"—a straight talk to young men. Sunday School, M. T. Holcomb, superintendent, at 12:30 P. M. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6:30 P. M. All welcome.

First Presbyterian Church—Services at 11:00 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. Morning subject, "A Pillar in the Temple of My God." Evening subject, "The No-Name Worthier."

Union Street Presbyterian Church, Rev. H. D. Bradfield, pastor—Preaching at 11:00 A. M. and 7:30 P. M., by Rev. H. H. Winster of the San Francisco Theological Seminary San Anselmo.

First Universalist Church—Rev. S. Goodenough will preach at 11:00 A. M., subject, "Getting Acquainted."

First Free Baptist Church, Twenty-first street, between Brush street and San Pablo avenue—Services at 11:00 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. In the morning, the pastor, Rev. Philip Graif, will preach on "The Crowning Grace of the Christian Life," by request of the Tenth Legion of the Y. P. S. C. E.; in the evening on "The Tragical Side of Daily Life," or "Is God in His World?" Seats free; everybody cordially invited.

The Harmonist Church meets at Fraternal Hall at 2:30 P. M. Prof. J. S. Loveland will lecture on the "Sources and Limitations of Human Knowledge."

Reorganized Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints—Preaching at 2:30 and 7:30 P. M. at 559 Clay street. Seats free; all are invited.

Asbury M. E. Church South—Preaching at 11:00 A. M. by Rev. John Thompson, D. D. 7:30 P. M. by H. M. McKnight, "Moses Did Make Mistakes."

At the evening service at St. Paul's Episcopal Church, Fourteenth and Harrison streets to-morrow evening, the music will be rendered by the full choir of over fifty ladies, men, and boys, in vestments. An impression seems to have gained ground that the services at St. Paul's are rendered in this manner only upon the first Sunday in the month. The music on every Sunday evening is especially fine, the only difference being in the number of selections rendered, and that difference is slight. Below is the programme of the music for to-morrow evening:

Organ Prelude .....
Processional Hymn .....
Gloria Patri .....
Bonum Est .....
Nunc Dimittis, Anthem form....Tours
Anthem, "I am Alpha and Omega.....
Double Trio for Leaders' Voices, "I Waited For the Lord".....
..... Mendelssohn
Quartette for Male Voices, "Still With Thee"..... Gerrish
Tenor Solo, "If With All Your Hearts"..... Elijah
C. R. Morse.
Recessional Hymn .....Dykes
Organ Postlude .....
W. B. Bartlett, choir master and director of music; Robt. C. Newell, organist.

First Unitarian Church—Rev. W. D. P. Bliss of Boston will preach at 11:00 A. M.; topic, "Christian Socialism."

Market Street Congregational Church corner Market and Eighteenth streets—Rev. E. S. Chapman, D. D., the pastor, will preach to-morrow morning and evening. Subjects: At 11:00 A. M., "Employment for Every Day." At 7:30 P. M., "Pleasant Work and Good Wages."

First Baptist Church, C. H. Hobart, pastor—Services at 11:00 and 7:20. Morning topic, "Filled With the Spirit." In the evening the Rev. W. D. P. Bliss of Boston will speak on "Christian Socialism."

Pilgrim Congregational Church—Morning sermon on the theme, "A Privilege Neglected." Evening address on the subject, "The Jewish Tabernacle." The evening address will be illustrated by a large model of the tabernacle, with the furniture. Address by Rev. A. Duglass, B. D., J. R. Knodell, pastor.

The meeting for men only at the Young Men's Christian Association to-morrow afternoon at 3:30 P. M., will be addressed by Mr. Grove F. Elkins of Sacramento on the subject, "A Sin Among Sins." An illustrated song service will preceed the address, and the pictures will be scenes from Bunyan's Pilgrim's Progress. All men invited.

The Christian Alliance of Oakland will meet at the Christian Mission Tabernacle at 3:00 P. M. next Thursday. It will be addressed by Rev. Mr. Byers.

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SATURDAY.....NOVEMBER 20, 1897.

As so many men are mistaken for deer nowadays and are shot and killed in the hunting field, what an excellent excuse is created for the unsuccessful nimrod. He can say that he mistook the deer for men and did not discover his error until the animals were well away.

Th Silver Republicans of the State have decided to organize for the coming campaign. There is only one course they can follow under such circumstances, and that is to join hands with the Bryan Democrats for exactly the same theories actuate the two organizations.

Weyler refused to show himself to the people on his return to Spain, and the promised demonstration in his honor was a complete fiasco. He evidently feels very keenly the significance of his recall, for it brands him as a failure, and as a matter of fact he must, in his own heart, realize that he is one.

Oom Paul is going in for home industry on a large scale. He insists on the Transvaal manufacturing its dynamite from its own resources and is fighting the proposition of allowing an importation of the ingredients. The closer a corporation the Boers can make of their little republic the better they like it.

Nansen denies the rumor that he is going to the Arctic again. One experience of the kind is enough for him, especially as he is now in demand at $500 a night to lecture on the journey of the Fram. First class hotels and Pullman cars compare too favorably with life in an Arctic hut and being dragged over the snow and ice by dog trains.

Chinese do not shine very brightly for bravery, as witness the way 5,000 Mongolian troops abandoned their forts on the Chinese coast and fled, without striking a blow, before a few hundred German marines. Even the hatchetmen of the highbinders are cowards, for they only attack their victims either in the dark or when there is no possible opportunity for defense.

That prize-fighting is dying a natural death on the coast is shown by the reception accorded to the Goddard-Sharkey contest. The growing suspicion that every encounter is fixed is what is doing the business, for people do not want to pay fancy prices of admission to witness a hippodrome. It looks as if the manipulators of the events realize that the sport is doomed anyhow and they are trying to make a clean-up in every way possible.

Dr. Evans, the millionaire dentist, who recently died, was an American at heart to the last. Although he had lived in France for a quarter of a century on account of his business affiliations there, his sentiments were always with his old home on this side of the Atlantic, and when his wife died he brought her remains to American soil for interment. Now that he has followed her, it is found on opening his will that he has left nearly his entire fortune of $15,000,000 for the endowment of American educational institutions.

In response to an inquiry by the Philadelphia Ledger as to what England would do, supposing Russia, the United States and Japan decided to settle the sealing question without her, the Ottawa Journal plunges into marine statistics. The figures show that Great Britain has 551 warships launched or building, as against 187 for Russia, 195 for America and 93 for Japan. England's sailor and marine force numbers 93,750 men, while the other three powers combined have but 74,425 men afloat. Britannia is evidently satisfied that she still rules the waves.

The rivalry between Germany and France is to take an interesting phase at the great international fair to be held at Paris in 1900. Germany has secured a large section on the banks of the Seine and will construct thereon an industrial palace that will, it is claimed, outrival anything France will have. Judging by the plans that are pouring in from all the other countries the Exposition will be the grandest and most elaborate in the history of the world. Millions upon millions will be expended in the preparations and the carnival will attract the attention of the whole of civilization. The opportunity for California to make a showing is one that must be taken advantage of to the fullest extent and in the preparation of the State exhibit we must see to it that Alameda county is thoroughly represented.

THE QUESTION OF IMMIGRATION.

One of the most ticklish subjects to be presented before the coming Congress will be the immigration measures that are being urged by Senator Lodge. Bills for the barring out of undesirable foreign elements are already pending in both the House and Senate and it is considered likely that a composite measure will be agreed on and sent to passage.

The Eastern press has started to stir the issue up with a ten-foot pole and the Columbus Dispatch has taken on itself the work of sending a circular letter to all the newspapers of the country urging co-operation in the cause. "America for Americans first" is what it stamps on its motto and then it proceeds as follows: "The time has come when justice to the people of this country demands that immigration should be so restricted that every man in this country who can work and wants to work gets it. Labor leaders are beginning to recognize the necessity of such legislation. Immigration Commissioner Powderly will urge it in his forthcoming report to Congress. Secretary Pearce of the United Mine Workers has come out flat-footed for the suspension of immigration. The more the disastrous results of the unfair competition of foreign labor are seen, the more apparent it becomes that further half way measures are useless. There has been too much consideration for foreigners. The time has come to consider the interests of our own people. If you are not yet in favor of the absolute exclusion of all foreign labor until all Americans have work, do you not at least believe in drawing the line rigidly against all foreigners, however intelligent or otherwise, who come over here without any interest to become citizens, but simply to make all the money they can at the expense of Americans and then send or take it back to Europe to spend, while the they live in idleness."

All of which is a little too radical. A proper restriction of the immigration laws is a good proposition to support but we do not want just yet to put up barriers and declare we want nobody else here. There are millions of acres of uncultivated land awaiting the plough of the farmer but unfortunately the native-born American will not farm for he does not like hard work. Only a very small percentage of our natives are willing to till the soil and live by the sweat of the brow; the majority like to flock to the centers of population and rely on their intelligence to provide them with some other means of livelihood than is afforded by manual labor.

Then again how could we tell, as the Dispatch suggests, which of our visitors would become citizens and which would not. It would be impossible to determine the question of intention at the time they entered our ports. As to European capital too there is no reason why we should bar it out if it wants to come here and aid in the development of the country. We certainly get benefits from it or otherwise there would be no occasion to entertain it. "America for Americans" is a very laudable motto and one that we endorse in every way but at the same time we suggest that for the present at least the restrictions of the immigrant laws be simply compared to keeping out undesirable elements such as anarchists, paupers, criminals, outcasts from society, sick and diseased, and, in short all those who would make undesirable citizens. The honest, intelligent man who comes here with the intention of making his fortune in the New World, contributes his health, strength and skill to the common cause of progress and if he succeeds it is reasonably certain that he will be only too glad to assume citizenship in the land where he has fared so well. It does seem as if it is a little too soon to bar this kind of individual out.

The proposition to hold a mining fair in connection with the celebration of California's golden jubilee next year is a wise one. This is a good time to show everybody just what we are doing in that line, for many people have an idea that our mines have played out, whereas they are in fact in a more flourishing condition now than they ever were before. As there will be thousands of people here from the East and Europe next year in connection with the Clondyke rush, the opportunities for such an exhibit will be many more than usual.

If the verdict of $21,000 damages obtained in Chicago by the railroad man who sued a company that blacklisted him should stick, it will probably put an end to the unfair manner in which railroad corporations in the past have treated their ex-employes. A company has a perfect right to discharge a man and keep him out of its employ, but the practice of blacklisting him on all other lines and sending his description broadcast as if he were a convict is un-American to say the least of it.

Rascality is not always rewarded as witness the case of the dishonest clerk of the United States Supreme Court, who gave a tip on one of the decisions and then was cheated out of his share of the ill-gotten gains. Of course the rest of the gang were equally as bad as he and the only satisfaction to be got out of the affair is that one of them got the worst of it. The old proverb of "honor among thieves" is a very doubtful one to figure on.

The announcement is again made by the press dispatches that Judge Waymire will be selected as Attorney-General as soon as McKenna reaches the Supreme Bench. The old saying that there is more or less fire where there is smoke is applicable in this case and the frequency with which Waymire's name is given out from Washington in connection with the office shows that he is certainly among those being considered for the office.

The morning paper goes to the office; the evening paper goes to the home. There is a good little moral for advertisers in this.

Howard Adams, the erstwhile society leader across the bay, has been deposed because he talked too much and a committee of ladies will in future attend to the cotillions and those other little affairs that gave Messrs. Ned Greenway and Adams opportunities to shine. As far as the talking is concerned the charge looks like being a case of "out of the frying pan into the fire."

These balloon lines and so forth look all very well on paper, but the important fact must never be overlooked that they are entirely at the mercy of the elements and man has not yet reached that stage of evolution where he can control them. The lesson taught by the fate of the unfortunate Andree is one that should not be forgotten.

The days of the Thanksgiving turkey are numbered. Thursday next witnesses a wholesale slaughter of the appetizing bird, and the customary number of "turkey shoots" are being heralded on all sides. Everybody appears to be thankful for something or the other this year, so the celebration ought to be a genuine one.

The French government does not like the way the Kaiser is increasing his army, and an order to add 12,000 more men to the French forces has in consequence been given. This will give France an army of 580,000 on what they term a peace footing. It is hard to keep those "dogs of war" in their kennels over there.

In Weimar, Germany, 140 electors who did not vote at the last election have been fined. It is a pretty sure thing that next time an election comes around their ballots will be cast all right and it is also equally certain that they "won't do a thing" to the friends of the individual who fined them.

A Boston poet has written a poem entitled "Oh Let Me Die at Home." He probably fears that he may have to end his days in an insane asylum.

WHEN WE KEPT STORE.

Do you remember, Brother Joe, the dear
old days when we
Embarked in brisk commercial life, as
hopeful as could be?
Investing all the hoarded wealth of copper cents and dimes,
And going into bankruptcy at least a
dozen times?
A dozen times, at least, I say, but fancy
it was more,
We failed, and ate our stock of goods,
When we kept store.

We opened in the coal house once with
eighteen gaudy sticks
Of candy in an old fruit jar. (A nickel
purchased six,
And having 15 cents we stocked it as far
as it would go,
Buying direct from Mr. Mears, the grocerman, you know.)
But not a customer appeared, I very
much deplore
To say. In fact none ever came
When we kept store.

One time you sold your rags and bones
and I gave you a whip
Which you had coveted, for half a working partnership,
And, invoicing some peppermint, some
pins and indigo,
We opened in the haymow with our spirits all aglow.
We thought the pins and blue would lure
housekeepers by the score,
But no'er a person came to buy,
When we kept store.

We vigorously advertised in sheets most
neatly penned,
But if the people read our bills they did
not comprehend,
Or comprehending, trusted not merchants
of tender years,
But most discouragingly stuck (in trade)
to Mr. Mears,
Driving us by the scantiness of patronage once more
To eat our edible assets,
When we kept store.

Trading in wheat, I've managed to lay
up a fair amount,
And you, I understand, possess a pretty
bank account.
Kind Providence has treated us extremely well as men,
But sometimes I look back and wish that
once, just once again,
We two might, for an hour or so, be boys
just as before,
Eating the stock which failed to sell,
When we kept store.
—Chicago Record.

SIDE SHOTS.

Rain water is the very best water to use in washing the face.

Have you ever noticed that on the stage only men turn gray from trouble?

Veils to be worn exclusively with walking hats should have very deep borders.

There may often be more help in a loaf of bread than in a hundred dollar subscription.

A glass of hot milk sipped very slowly before retiring will often cure obstinate cases of insomnia.

It is said that no woman is so unattractive but that some man does not regard her as altogether desirable.

Mouchoir bags are much affected by smart women for evening wear. They hang from the belt by a chain or ribbon.

Sales Talk

With Hood's Sarsaparilla, "Sales Talk," and show that this medicine has enjoyed public confidence and patronage to a greater extent than accorded any other proprietary medicine. This is simply because it possesses greater merit and produces greater cures than any other. It is not what we say, but what Hood's Sarsaparilla does, that tells the story. All advertisements of Hood's Sarsaparilla, like Hood's Sarsaparilla itself, are honest. We have never deceived the public, and this with its superlative medicinal merit, is why the people have abiding confidence in it, and buy

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CAP AND BELLS.

An Inevitable Conclusion.—"How did you know, Columbus," asked one of the sages of Spain, "that there was land on the other side of the globe?"

"It was simple enough," said Columbus. "I knew that the earth revolved, and I saw that there wasn't enough land on this side to go round. What other conclusion could a logical mind reach?"—Harper's Bazar.

Unshaken.—"He looked down into her soulful eyes, etc., etc.

"Shall we shake your chaperon?" he whispered.

The beautiful girl shivered as in terror.

"No! no! no!" she exclaimed. "Let her sleep.—Detroit Journal.

"I'm going to give up trying to get you to stop smoking," said Mrs. Grouch. "There is no use worrying with you any longer."

"Isabel," said Mr. Grouch, glaring at his life partner with a stony glare, "have you been reading about that man who dropped dead after smoking a cigar?"—Indianapolis Journal.

Must Match.—Mrs. Newrich—I want to buy some ribbon for my racing colors.

Clerk—Yes, ma'am; what shade?

Mrs. Newrich—It don't make any difference, but the color must be fast.—Philadelphia Record.

Natural History.—"Didn't you know, my little boy," asked the solemn old gentleman, "that a bee can fly faster than a pigeon?"

"I didn't know it before," said the little boy, but I know he can set down a heap harder.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

Horrible Symptoms.—Mr. Bacon Hill—Why, Penelope! What is the matter?

Mrs. Bacon Hill—Oh, Horace! I am afraid Emerson has not that elevated mind we have a right to expect in a child of ours. He just said 'Da! da!' like that common washerwoman's baby I heard in the park."—Puck.

His Contribution.—"We are considering the currency question," remarked Tenspot as Skidmore approached a knot of men engaged in earnest conversation. "Are you interested?"

"I am," replied Skidmore. "Can any of you gentlemen let me have $5 until next payday?"—New York World.

A Mistaken Motive.—

They met; she turned and looked; so he
Whirled and o'ertook her on the way.
He tried to talk to her; but she
Had nothing, it appeared, to say.

At last, grown weary of him, she
Exclaimed in anger: "Sir, begone!
I merely turned around to see
What make of wheel 'twas you 'were
on!" —Cleveland Leader.

On the Fly.—I was thinking how nice it would be for us to go tandem riding.

She—Oh, Bikely! This is so sudden; but you must ask papa.—Philadelphia North American.

Not Handicapped.—It's the fellow who puts on his new winter flannels that isn't handicapped—he's a scratch man.—Life.

As Far as She Knew.—He—Darling, was there ever a love like ours?

She—Well, not in my experience, at least.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

A Clever Definition.—"What is your idea of fame?"

"Fame? Well, in its finest phase, I think it is the incredulous surprise which a man's home folk exhibit when he does anything noteworthy."—Detroit Free Press.

Savage Slur.—Mr. Oldboy—I remember the first fish I ever caught.

Miss Pert—What was it; an ichthyosaurus?—Harlem Life.

Chat About China.

The china that has the preference just now is Worcester; not the royal, but the crown. At first glance it is ugly; you acknowledge that it is distinctive, but it is ugly as well, and you wonder how anybody can be persuaded to pay $350 for a set of it. It grows in favor, however, and bears examination, and after one has looked at it a long while one likes its odd shape and prim decoration.

Of all the quaint shaped platters, curiously curved coffee pots and mysterious looking muffin plates, each with an eyeleted cover to let the steam escape, this old English china appears to have the monopoly. The cheese dish alone, with a cover that fits down, round and trim, is something to look at. Ponderous is the word best suited to the great meat dishes, and the handles to their covers, once seen, will not be forgotten.

The cups are ample in size. There can be no stinting where such cups are used, and the man or woman who can empty more than one must be an expert at coffee drinking. The saucers are big; so are the coffee urn and sugar bowl; in fact, the whole set is planned on a liberal scale, copied from china used in days when people were in delightfully rude health and drank and ate more substantially than sumptuously. There is no suspicion of gilding or ornate work about this Worcester. The scallops of the dishes and plates may be edged about with green, or they may be left plain, and the one pattern of flowers sprayed over the surface is in rigid, set bouquets, with never a leaf or tendril straying out from the main bunch. The colors used are what are called strong, natural colors, real reds, undeviating blues, undoubted purples and greens. There is no blending. Everything is stiff, set, and prim on a lustreless surface, yet this china makes the filagreed lattice work and delicate coloring of the shining French porcelain look common and overdone. At least, this is what you think after the new old-fashioned English type has grown on you and you have noted its beauties.

TUBERCULIN OPPOSED.

Alameda County Milk Men Want an Infallible Test.

THE PRESENT ONE FALLIBLE.

With the Liquid, Doctors Disagree as to the Disease.

A LEGAL INQUIRY DEMANDED.

Dairyman Gonzales Desires to Test the Matters in the Courts.

The dairymen of the county are strongly opposed to the tuberculin test for cows mainly on the ground that it does not do that which its advocates claim it can do, namely, set forth in an unmistakable manner the existence of disease in cows which are used to supply milk to private consumers.

The dairymen want to have something that is more infallible than this test before they slaughter their cows and thus injure themselves pecuniarily and in the eyes of their customers.

In Alameda, the agitation of the question is rapidly approaching legal inquiry and the result of the issue will be watched with the greatest interest by milkmen and milk consumers alike.

It was rumored a day or so ago that one of the Alameda dealers, Gonzales, had gone out of the business because of the arrests which he had experienced for the alleged selling of milk of cows contaminated by disease.

This, however, is shown not to be the case by secretary Farno of the Alameda County Dairymen's Association, who offers the following explanation:

"Gonzales is not a quitter. He has quit serving milk in Alameda at the request of a number o fdairymen who want to see the matter brought to a test, and Gonzales' customers are being supplied by these dairymen. He has been arrested twice and that is enough to make a test case.

"The dairymen, as a rule, do not believe in the effectiveness of the tuberculin test and believe that Gonzales' case presents the issues that should be tested in court. He has been arrested for serving milk to his Alameda customers because Dr. Carpenter, the Alameda veterinarian, says some of his cows have consumption. He has tested the animals and says he knows they are affected. On the 19th of last August Mr. Gonzales had his cows tested by Pierce and Archibault, Oakland veterinaries, Dr. Pierce being the city veterinarian. When his cows were tested Dr. Archibald gave Gonzales a certificate stating that he had examined the cows and found them free from tuberculous troubles. The certificate was signed 'Pierce and Archibald.' The Alameda authorities refused to recognize this certificate and the charge is now made that it was of no value, as it was signed by Dr. Archibald, who is in no way connected with the Oakland Board of Health.

"Whether that certificate is legally good or not makes no difference. The question that the dairymen want determined is as to whether or not the test is reliable. The dairymen do not believe it is; the Alameda health authorities say it is infallible. Here is a chance to test it. The cows have been examined by two reputable men, both licensed veterinaries. One says they are healthy, the other declares they are diseased. If both are honest the test is at fault. We are waiting for the health officials to proceed."

FEELS THE PRESENCE OF THE SAVIOUR.

Ben Hill, the Wife Murderer, Tells of His Change of Heart.

Would Not Have Missed the Great Pleasure of Walking "In the Shadow."

The following letter written by Ben Hill, who is under sentence of death for the killing of his wife about a year ago, has been received by Mrs. J. E. Ware of this city, who is in charge of the baby boy of the condemned man:

"SAN QUENTIN, Sept. 6, 1897.

"My Dear Mother in our Lord:—I have been intending to write you for some time, in fact did write on the 26th, when I expected that would be my last opportunity, but as our Father was not ready to take me home and has spared me for a while, I did not send what I wrote then. I trust that my negligence in writing has not caused you to think that I do not realize and appreciate all you have done for me.

"I believe you were the first one that came and offered to assist me. I remember you asked if my mother were living, and when I told you 'no' you said that you would be my mother and take her place and I have always thought of you in that light and I fully realize and appreciate the work that you have done for me in many ways that I do not even know of. While it is my privilege to thank you, words are so very shallow to express our feelings, and the value of such deeds of love for one of the least of His children, is only fully understood by Him who rewards them by saying 'Well done, good and faithful servant, enter into the joy of the Lord' and I know that is all the reward you desire.

"Oh, how wonderful are God's ways. How far beyond our feeble minds to understand even a little of His great wisdom. How true the words of Paul in Romans 8-28, 'We know not how to pray as we ought.' Also the 28th verse, 'to them that love God all things work together for good.' How very plain this has been made to me. Why, my dear mother, I would not have missed the experience of walking in the valley of the shadow with the knowledge and assurance that was given me that Jesus was right with me. I say, I would not have missed that for anything. I can say with positive assurance, 'I know that my Redeemer liveth,' and that he hath abolished death and brought 'life and incorruption to light,' 2nd Tim. I-10.

"I was expecting that any hour on the 27th might be my last on earth, and I fully expected it, for the presence of the Saviour was so plainly manifested to me, filling me with an indescribable peace. Everything within me seemed so still. I believe I know just how that other one felt when Jesus said to him, 'This day shalt thou be with me in Paradise.' I am satisfied that death to a Christian is joyful beyond expression. I believe that there is a special band of angels sent to escort every saved one home. Well, at the longest it will only be a very short time, mother, until we will all awake in His likeness. Oh, hallelujah. I am still praying for your dear son and his wife, and I believe the Lord is going to save them both and before long. Have faith in God. Only look at me. My mother was dead ten years before her prayers for me were answered, but I trust your son will forsake the devil before he leads him anywhere near that he did me. Tell him for me that he can't get around our prayers. Yours in His name,

B. T. HILL."

THE RAILROAD BRIDGE AND THE HARBOR.

Bids Invited for the Erection of the Structure by the Railroad Company.

The plans of the Southern Pacific for the new bridge of the broad and narrow gauge trains over the harbor at Harrison street have been completed and bids for the erection of the structure have been invited from five of the leading bridge building companies in the East. It is estimated that the cost of the structure will be about $100,000. The surveys necessary to rearrange the tracks, so as to enable both systems to reach the new bridge have been made. The new structure must be erected by August 31st, 1898. The bids asked for must be submitted not later than January 15th of next year.

QUARTERLY CONVENTION

W. C. T. U. to Meet Next Friday in the Twenty-Third Avenue Church.

The County Quarterly Convention will be held next Friday at the Twenty-third Avenue Church, when a number of interesting papers will be presented. The topic for discussion will be the "American Saloon." Dr. Von Kirk will read a paper in the afternoon on "Hygiene." It will be an all day meeting.

The regular meeting of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union will be held in the First M. E. Church, room No. 5, Monday afternoon, November 22d, at 2 o'clock. Members are requested to be present.

Cheap Beverage.

We are now selling strong, good flavored, fresh roasted coffee, 7 lbs for $1. Have you tried it? The New York Tea Co., 559 Broadway, bet. Seventh and Eighth sts. Tel black-3602. We have no branch stores.

Turkeys! Turkeys! Turkeys!

The Samson Market will have 3,000 turkeys shipped to their markets at Oakland and Berkeley for Thanksgiving, and they will be sold very cheap. Do not fail to see these fine fat turkeys; also a special sale of fine prime roast beef every Saturday at 8 to 12½ cents per pound. 518-520 Eleventh street, Oakland (telephone main 142), and 2112 Center street, near Shattuck avenue, East Berkeley (telephone black 361).

In the Bargain Rush.—He—Selling silks at 13 cents? I don't see how they can do it.

She—Of course they have some police there.—Detroit Journal.

Its No Wonder

That people patronize the Wonder Millinery. The variety, the low prices, do the business. 1213 Broadway; 18 San Pablo.

BAGS

and twine at BROWN'S PAPER HOUSE, 417 Tenth street.

For the best mixed drinks go to the popular Macdonough bar (Fred Ch. Poock, prop.), next to the theater.

Bay City Flour is a standard.

Fine stern wheel steamer for sale, passenger or freight, just the thing for the Clondyke. Apply to T. K. Stateler, Gen. Agt. Nor. Pac. Ry., 638 Market st., S. F.

James E. Pepper, a celebrated whisky, on sale by E. F. Thayer, 464 Eighth street.

Notice of Reduction.

On and after the 16th day of November the price of Welsbach gas lamps will be $1.75. Gas Consumers' Association, gen'l agents, Oakland, Alameda, Berkeley. 426 Fourteenth street, Oakland.

Mr. John Henderson Jr. no longer represents the Welsbach lamp. The genuine Welsbach lamp can only be obtained through the Gas Consumers' Association, 426 Fourteenth street, Oakland, general agents Oakland, Alameda, Berkeley.

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That is, well fed, well bred turkeys, the best money can buy, we have this year as usual. None better. Put in your orders now. Oakland Fruit and Produce Co., 460-462 Eleventh street, Tel. 74 main.

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Five or More Races Each Day.
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BACKING SUGAR MILLS WITH MONEY.

The New Enterprise Files Its Incorporation Articles.

Four of the Seven Directors Are Residents of This City.

Following the announcement made in yesterday's Tribune concerning the improvements at Long Wharf in order to accommodate the enormous amount of sugar which is to be handled there as a consequence of the opening of the sugar works of Crockett, comes the announcement of the incorporation of the company which is to make the project a success.

The company has a capitalization of $2,500,000, and each of the directors has subscribed $10,000.

The articles of incorporation have been filed and provide for the manufacture of beet sugar, the operation of freight and passenger vessels, and the erection of an electric plant with which to furnish power to run the mills, and to supply the same to other concerns which may desire to purchase it.

The incorporators are nearly all Oakland men, a circumstance which will be greatly appreciated by the people of this city. The Oaklanders are: George W. McNear Sr., George W. McNear Jr., George E. Fairchild, and O. M. Vesper. The San Franciscans are Louis Sloss, C. M. Cooke and Robert P. Rither.

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REACHING OUT FOR MILLIONS.

Capital in Three Countries to Develop Alaskan Mines.

A Gigantic Organization Which Aims to Do Many Things

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

NEW YORK, Nov. 20.—The Herald says: "Several of the leading directors of the Canadian Pacific Railway, who are backed by unlimited English capital and have the promise of liberal rights from the Canadian government, have organized an extensive mining company, which promises to eclipse anything that was ever projected in this country.

"They will conduct mining operations and various transportation and trading enterprises on a vast scale in British Columbia—particularly in the newly developed sections of Alaska. It is not unlikely that they will open up sections of the Great Northwest.

"This is the syndicate that Lieutenant-Governor McIntosh of the Northwest Province referred to when he returned to New York from England. Mr. McIntosh at that time gave no details, but said that some of the leading English capitalists, including the Canadian Pacific directors, had decided to launch a great enterprise for mining gold and other minerals, and he also said that very likely they would do some railroad building and open up new territory. He assumed that the new road would be operated in connection with the Canadian Pacific.

"It is now definitely known that President Van Horne, Lord Mount Stephen and other influential directors of that company, who are also interested in telegraph matters, will take a leading part in the new projects, and besides the English capital it is reported that John W. Mackay and the Rothschilds are interested.

Whether the latter are connected with the Canadian Pacific scheme it could not yesterday be definitely ascertained, but Mr. Mackay's friends, it is reported, have heard him speak of a vast gold mining scheme in which fortunes are likely to be made within the next few years. Mr. Mackay is associated with the directors of the Canadian Pacific in one or two enterprises.

The report about Mr. Mackay stated that he had prospects on a large scale in various parts of the United States as well as British Columbia. It was reported that H. Maitland Kersey, manager of the White Star line, would resign his position to become manager of Mr. Mackay's company.

Wife Against Husband.

F. W. McMurphy, who caused the arrest of saloon-keeper Charles White at Emeryville for furnishing his wife with liquor, is proclaimed by his wife as guilty of perjury. She says her husband did not give her money to buy food for the children, to say nothing of drink for herself. Mrs. McMurphy also asserts that he beat her cruelly and she announces that she will appear as a witness in White's defense when he is tried.

Police Examinations.

Secretary Harry Thomas of the Police and Fire Commissioners will hold examinations for applicants for positions on the police force Monday morning at 9 o'clock. There are half a dozen applicants to be examined.

INFANT INDUSTRY.

Board of Trade Wants Home Manufactures to Be Encouraged.

LICENSE REMOVAL SUGGESTED.

The Tax Operates in Favor of Outsiders Who Pay Nothing.

A BLOW TO HOLIDAY FAKERS.

Preventing Auctions Which Injure Local Retail Dealers.

The Board of Trade held a meeting yesterday afternoon, at which the following directors were present: James P. Taylor, A. H. Breed, George E. M. Gray, E. A. Heron, G. W. Fisher, J. Tyrrell, M. J. Keller.

The following made application for membership: Pickford Brothers, butchers, 477 Thirteenth street; Merriman Manufacturing Company, flavoring extracts, 1574 Grove street; H. M. Bridges, coal dealer, Sixth and Washington.

The secretary was instructed to cast a ballot for each of the applicants and all of them were admitted to the organization.

The question of exempting producers and manufacturers from paying a license for the sale of their goods was then brought up and several members spoke on the question. In speaking on the subject, M. J. Keller referred to the bill which was beaten at the last Legislature, which he said was designed to alleviate much of the so-called unjust burdens imposed upon California producers and manufacturers. The chief object sought to be obtained by the bill was the putting on an equal basis of the traveling salesmen of Eastern manufacturers and those whose firms did business in California. The Federal Constitution prohibited the imposition of any license or other such tax upon inter-State commerce, but this State imposed a tax on its own producers and thus the outsiders sold at a great advantage.

The object of that bill, he further declared, was to prevent the imposing of a license upon persons soliciting the sale of articles produced or manufactured in this State, which under the laws of the United States, could not be legally imposed upon persons soliciting the sale of similar articles produced or manufactured in any of the other States of the United States. It was known as assembly bill No. 362 and senate bill No. 376. He thought that it would be a good idea for Oakland and Alameda county to take the initiative in affecting the reform.

"In exempting the manufacturers and producers of this county from paying a license to sell and trade in Oakland," he said, "I think would be making a move in the right direction. I'd like to know how any industry in the world can thrive or prosper unless it is allowed to grow in its infancy. But here in Oakland the conditions are all against such a growth. Everything has to go through the middleman's hands, who cares nothing about California products, for he can purchase Eastern goods at a lower figure. The result is that probably fifty million dollars of products came in from the outside, when they should be produced here at home."

Mr. Keller's motion, with a slight amendment to the effect that the City Council be requested to pass an amendment to the ordinance governing the subject was adopted. Accordingly the matter will come up before the Council at its meeting next Monday night.

Mr. Ackerman then made complaint of auctioneers who come to town during the holidays and sell crockery and other wares at prices which are ruinous to merchants who are compelled to maintain establishments throughout the year and pay taxes for the support of the city.

It was stated that the Council stood ready to receive any suggestion which merchants might desire to make touching the reform of this abuse.

As a consequence Secretary Sharp and Mr. Ackerman were appointed to present to the Council at its next meeting an ordinance on the subject.

The following letters were read and ordered placed on file. From Alameda Sugar Co., offering an exhibit to the Board; from Merchants' Exchange appointing a committee of Messrs. Theodore Gier, W. V. Witcher and J. S. Wixson to meet the Board of Trade in regard to the signs displayed on streets; from J. P. Smith, offering wine, walnuts, etc; from C. F. Quincy, on Department of Commerce and Industry; from Joseph P. Smith of Washington, in regard to a commercial directory of American Republics sent the Board of Trade.

There will be a meeting of the Board December 4th.

The meeting then adjourned.

HUNDREDS TO LEAVE ALMA MATER.

The Largest Graduating Class in the History of the University.

The list of students of the University of California who will be entitled to bachelor degrees at the next commencement has been prepared. It comprises 209 names, being the largest list of graduates which has thus far been prepared by the University. Of this number, 85 are women. The list is as follows: A. H. Allen, A. B. Anderson, Miss E. Aniser, C. A. Arents, W. W. Arkley, Miss E. D. Armer, Miss R. Atterbury, A. Baer, D. Baird, B. Bakewell, J. F. Baldwin, Miss E. J. Barden, Miss E. G. Barron, Miss C. Barto, H. J. Bias, R. K. Bishop, F. H. Bixby, Miss L. J. Blumberg, W. P. Bordwell, Miss H. C. Bovard, Miss L. G. Bovard, E. J. Brown, L. F. Brown, H. B. Budd, C. M. Bufford, C. Bush, Miss J. M. Cahill, S. Chamberlain, A. L. Chickering, G. Clark, Miss S. G. Clark, J. C. Clausen, Miss M. M. Cohen, Miss M. Colman, V. H. Craig, W. E. Creed, Miss C. B. Cronise, G. L. Cross, Miss H. M. Curtis, Miss E. F. Daniel, A. J. Dannenbaum, Miss E. P. Dart, D. Davenport, Miss B. V. Deaderick, Miss G. E. Dibble, C. M. Dickerson, A. J. Dickie, W. M. Dickie, C. W. Doane, Miss V. A. Duffiey, Miss M. Durand, T. T. Eastman, F. F. Ellis, M. L. Euphrat, F. R. Fairchild, L. M. Farrish, Miss E. C. Fink, Miss L. B. Finley, J. N. Force, R. A. Foster, Miss L. Frank, Miss H. G. French, F. E. Frey, H. J. Friedlander, Miss L. M. Funk, H. H. Gable, J. A. Gammill, Miss E. R. Garlick, S. W. Geis, A. N. George, Miss H. E. Gibbs, R. E. Gibbs, Miss H. M. Grace, A. E. Graham, Miss F. E. Green, Miss B. M. Griswold, Miss E. A. Guppy, J. Haber, Jr., Miss L. R. Haehnlen, W. Hall, E. C. Hammer, H. E. Harris, N. Harris, R. K. Haskell, Miss E. Hassard, Miss C. L. Hathaway, R. M. Hathaway, R. Hayakawa, C. E. Heise, Miss L. Hellmuth, Miss G. L. Henley, Miss A. L. Henry, T. Hiraiwa, A. D. Hirshfelder, W. B. Hoag, I. Hochheimer, E. Hanfeld, Jr., J. Hopper, J. W. Howson, W. M. Huff, H. T. A. Hus, S. Hyman, J. R. Jarvis, Miss K. M. Jeffreys, Miss W. M. Jeffreys, Miss A. R. Jewett, C. K. Jones, Miss E. Jones, Miss F. M. Jones, Miss M. Z. Kelley, Miss A. G. Kelly, L. E. Kilkenny, F. B. King, Miss V. N. Klenck, Miss A. M. Landstrom, A. A. Lawson, J. W. Leggett, G. D. Leslie, H. C. Marmon, Miss F. E. Mason, Miss M. G. Maxwell, M. J. Mayer, Miss M. C. McCleave, J. E. McGuire, F. L. McKenny, Miss M. J. McKinley, Miss G. E. McVenn, J. L. McVey, L. D. Mead, H. W. Meads, Miss E. Mehlmann, J. S. Merrill, J. W. Millar, L. H. Miller, P. L. Miller, Miss C. Moore, A. Morgan, W. S. Morley, G. U. Moyse, Miss M. I. Muller, C. H. Munro, I. Needham, P. M. Newhall, J. C. Newlands, Miss J. M. Newton, Miss E. L. Noonan, A. C. Olney, C. K. Osborne, H. A. Overstreet, H. K. Palmer, Miss M. C. Palmer, H. C. Parker, Miss L. M. Parker, Miss M. L. Patch, H. F. Pearl, Mrs. P. Perkins, J. W. Procter, H. W. Pudan, G. J. Rector, Miss R. L. Rissing, Miss F. M. Robb, Miss A. Robertson, Miss B. W. Robinson, Miss E. Robinson, Miss S. M. Robinson, Miss J. L. Roher, Miss E. O. Rosenstirn, W. C. Russell, N. Sanders, Miss C. R. Sanderson, S. Sargentich, Miss G. M. Scott, G. H. Slawson, Miss A. M. Sleeper, C. A. Smith, Miss J. Smith, Miss M. Smith, T. A. Smith, E. W. Stadtmuller, W. A. Starr, Miss C. Stern, Miss E. M. Stetson, R. S. Stewart, R. A. Sulliger, A. D. Sweet, Miss L. F. Sweet, P. R. Thayer, C. H. Towle, Miss J. J. Trowbridge, T. C. Van Ness, Jr., G. J. Wagner, L. T. Wagner, H. L. Waste, F. R. Watson, Miss E. Waymire, S. V. West, C. R. Weymouth, Miss M. C. Whipple, Miss A. Whitley, Miss E. H. Wickson, C. Wigmore, F. A. Wilder, Miss C. L. Williams, C. J. Wilson, Miss L. S. Wilson, S. A. Wood, Jr., B. F. Wright, Miss K. G. Wythe, Miss U. Y. Yanagisawa.

RAIL AND SHIP MEN IN A COMBINE.

A Heavy Blow Given to the Scalpers in Through Tickets.

Steamer Companies to Be Paid a Commission of Ten Per Cent.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

NEW YORK, Nov. 20.—The agreement which has been entered into between the railroads and Atlantic steamship lines for the regulation of immigrant fares is the most far-reaching of all combinations of the kind that were ever organized in this country. In the first place, it takes in not only all of the trans-Atlantic steamship companies, but the coastwise lines extending as far south as the Gulf of Mexico and north to Halifax, thereby rendering it impossible for rates to be demoralized so far as the ocean companies are concerned. Furthermore, all of the transcontinental as well as the Western and trunk lines are parties to the agreement, which provides for the payment to the steamship companies of 10 per cent commission on all steerage passengers turned over by the latter to the railroads.

One of the ticket scalpers' chief sources of revenue is now cut off, and the railroads the country over agree to turn over "a fat" commission of 10 per cent to the steamship companies by virtue of the latter refusing to have any further dealings with outside agents. It means an end to demoralization and a tightening of the screws all along the line.

The initiative was taken by the Western Passenger Association, which has been the leading factor in the struggle with the outside agents, trunk lines and steamship lines that has been going on for many years. For a long time the leading ticket agents were able to influence two or three of the Western railroads so that it was impossible to make any ironclad agreement.

The trunk lines in future will route all immigrant passengers destined for points beyond the joint traffic gateways, according to the instructions given by the representative of the Western line.

The Canadian Pacific and Southern Pacific, which have been the chief disturbing factors to previous combinations, have signed the agreement, and they enter heartily into the new agreement.

A COLLISION OF FREIGHT CARS.

A Tear-Up on First Street Caused by Jumping Off the Track.

There was a wreck on the Southern Pacific track on First street last night which interfered with the passenger traffic on the broad gauge line for Alameda after 9 o'clock, but luckily no person was injured and comparatively little damage was sustained in the property of the company.

The train which suffered was a special freight for San Jose, two cars of which jumped the track at the intersection of First and Webster streets and after a time turned at right angles to the track. These cars bumped for quite a distance over the ties, breaking many of them into splinters and tearing up the roadbed for quite a distance.

The wrecking train was hurried to the scene, and after a few hours' work the cars were re-railed and all evidences of the wreck were removed. The passengers for Alameda on the broad gauge were carried to the destination via Fruitvale.

Fitzgerald Goes East.

Labor Commissioner E. L. Fitzgerald will leave for the East in ten days. He has been selected by the Building Trades Council of San Francisco to represent them in the convention of building trades which is to be held at Washington soon.

Justice Actions.

Ellen B. Musser has commenced suit against Jane Doe Parrish and John Doe for unlawful detainer.

$1000 One Thousand Dollars

In addition to our gift of $300 (THREE HUNDRED DOLLARS) to the Charitable Institutions in Alameda County

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$50.00 (Fifty Dollars) to the holder of the first Coupon drawn.
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$20.00 (Twenty Dollars) to the holder of the third coupon drawn.

Commencing Monday, Nov 15th we will issue one Coupon with each twenty-five cents' worth of merchandise purchased from us.

Be sure to ask for Coupons.

Our first drawing will take place Saturday, Nov. 20th, at 9:45 P. M.

We are going to sell you Dry Goods cheaper than you ever bought them.

Special attractions will be offered in every department.

Remember there is no charge for our Coupons. We give them away.

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SATURDAY and MONDAY—November 20th and 22d, 10 per cent Discount on all Ladies', Misses and Children's Cloaks and Suits.

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COURT NEWS

Charles M. Wedde has been cited to appear before Judge Ogden on the 25th inst. to show cause why the decree of divorce his wife secured three years ago, should not be modified by inserting an order allowing her to visit her children Rhoda and Ida who were awarded to the father.

It has been said that the recent Supreme Court decision prohibiting the commitment to prison of men who fail to pay alimony when unable to do so by reason of lack of means, would relieve William S. Watson and other delinquent ex-husbands from the prospect of imprisonment. But it appears that he is in receipt of a monthly salary of $150, which will bar him from asserting a claim to exemption from punishment for contempt of Court should he fail to obey Judge Hall's order.

Mary Fernandes has petitioned for letters of administration on the estate of Manuel Fernandes, who died September 12th, leaving a house and lot worth $400 and furniture valued at $350 in San Leandro. The widow and two minor children are the heirs.

The suit of Ellen Elizabeth Ewing against Patrick Duffy for possession of certain property in this city, $500 damages and $750 for loss of rent, has been compromised and a stipulation filed directing judgment to be entered in accordance with the prayer of complaint without cost to defendant.

Mary J. Marshall failed yesterday to substantiate her allegations that Antonio Marshall had deserted her, and Judge Ellsworth refused to grant her a divorce.

Executor Scott has petitioned for permission to sell the real estate, or a portion of it, belonging to the estate of James P. Rynders, deceased. There are some debts to pay, and the expenses of administration will reach $4,000. The property desired to be sold includes 404 acres of the Pulgas Rancho, in San Mateo county, valued at $40,000 and a lot in East Oakland worth $8,500. The petition will be heard on December 21st by Judge Ogden. The estate has been in the courts for nearly four years. Rynders was well known in early days as a prominent gambler.

THE EASTERN STAR IN THE ASCENDANT.

Imposing Installation of the Officers of Oakland Chapter.

Last Thursday evening Oakland Chapter, Order Eastern Star, met in Masonic Temple to install the newly-elected officers for the ensuing year.

The Chapter room was very tastefully and appropriately decorated for the occasion.

At 8:30 o'clock the spacious Masonic Hall, in which the meetings of the Chapter are held, was filled to overflowing with the friends and members of the Chapter.

The installation ceremonies were impressively performed by Abel W. Baker, Patron of Oakland Chapter. Sister Lillian Warner officiated as grand marshall and the admirable manner in which she performed her part was favorably commented on by those present.

The officers installed were Lincoln S. Church, worthy patron; Helen M. Wentworth, worthy matron; Amy J. Clark, associate matron; Venice F. Cushing, secretary; Edna B. Kendall, treasurer; Laura T. Leber, conductress; Georgie Hunt, associate conductress; Kate E. Baker, marshal; Lucinda C. Tucker, chaplain; Ada C. Shannon, Adah; Harriet H. Hornick, Ruth; Amalia L. Muller, Esther; Susie W. Mott, Martha; Jessie M. Ellis, Electa; Louisa S. Braun, warder, and Emily E. Poulter, organist.

Upon the conclusion of the ceremonies of installation, Lincoln S. Church, on behalf of the officers and members of Oakland Chapter, presented a past matron's jewel to Sister Lillian Warner, the retiring worthy matron. Sister Warner responded feelingly and thanked the members for their courtesy and kindness during her administration.

Sister Venice F. Cushing, on behalf of the Chapter, presented to Brother Abel W. Baker a past patron badge, in recognition of his services as patron of the Chapter during the past two years.

Brother Baker, in a few well chosen words, accepted the badge and predicted for the Chapter the same prosperity in the future that it has enjoyed in the past.

After the presentation speeches Sister Poulter sang a solo in her usual inimitable style. Wm. Lois Mendenhall, the promising young violinist, rendered a violin solo. Both responded to encores.

Dancing followed and continued until midnight.

Although one of the youngest Chapters of the Eastern Star on the coast, Oakland Chapter has advanced with rapid strides to the front rank among the Chapters of the order in this State.

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1 LARGEST SIZE STEEL STEAM ENGINE
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One ticket with every 25c you buy.
Here are a Few Specials for the Coming Week:

Two Burner, Blue Flame Coal Oil Stove	$4.90
Parlor Heating Stoves, 8 in. wick	3.45
Wire Mats, 18x34 in	95c
Door Mats, plain coir, 14x28	28c
Coal Hods, Japanned	15c

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DEATH OF A PIONEER BERKELEY CAPITALIST.

E. A. Brakenridge Passes Away After an Illness of Brief Duration.

BERKELEY, Nov. 20.—E. A. Brakenridge, a retired capitalist, died yesterday afternoon of heart failure at his residence, 1410 Louisa street, aged 69 years. Mr. Brakenridge was a native of Massachusetts and at an early age emigrated to Michigan where he engaged in the lumber business and rapidly amassed a fortune.

In 1832 he married Loretta St. Bemis, who survives him. Later he moved to New Orleans and with his sons, Edward and Charles, engaged in the lumber business in that city.

About ten years ago Mr. Brakenridge came to San Francisco, and while having heavy investments in lumber, he retired from active participation in business.

He was a director in Berkeley and Stockton banks and most of his wealth is in stocks and bonds, the only real estate which he owned at the time of his death being the handsome home in North Berkeley.

The funeral will be held to-morrow from the family residence, Rev. George E. Swan, rector of St. Mark's officiating. Interment at Mountain View.

WHO WILL SUCCEED JUDGE M'KENNA?

Senator Perkins Thinks It Will Be Nobody but Judge Waymire.

Senator Perkins, when interviewed as to the part he would take in the matter of a successor to Judge McKenna as Attorney-General when that gentleman shall have gone upon the bench of the United States Supreme Court, said:

"I have heard nothing as to the appointment of a successor to Judge McKenna and do not know who it could be, unless it is Judge Waymire. I will do nothing myself, and do not think the delegation will do anything, unless the President requests that we express our preference."

IN THE POLICE COURT.

Judge Allen this morning continued the case of Eugene Reeves, Mrs. Mary Nuerney and her daughter, Miss Mary Morgan, till November 27th, to allow Reeves, attorney, Colonel Talcott, to make a motion for a new trial.

There being no complaint against George Kitto, charged with petit larceny, the case was stricken from the calendar.

Auguste Mangin, the boy who called Mrs. Cashmore "an old sow," was fined $10 for disturbing the peace.

Thomas Smith was sentenced to serve thirty days for begging.

William Scott pleaded not guilty to the charge of battery against him. He will be tried December 7th.

Judgment was suspended in the case of William Murray for violating the sleeping out ordinance.

Arthur Kesler, who created a row at his home on lower Alice street last night, was fined $10 for using vulgar language. The charge of disturbing his family's peace was stricken from the calendar.

Brazil's New Tariff

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

NEW YORK, Nov. 20.—A dispatch to the Herald from Buenos Ayres says: "La Preusa in commenting on the increase in duties on petroleum and pine timber, which were made as an act of retaliation against the Dingley law of the United States, predict that the increase will not have the expected effect.

SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE.

DEPARTURE FROM SAN FRANCISCO.

Pomona, Humboldt Bay	Nov. 20
Queen, San Diego	Nov. 20
President, Oregon ports	Nov. 21
Umatilla, Vic and Pgt Sd	Nov. 22
Wecott, Humboldt Bay	Nov. 22
Eureka, Newport	Nov. 22
Humboldt, Humboldt Bay	Nov. 23
State of California, Portland	Nov. 24
Santa Rosa, San Diego	Nov. 24
Chilkat, Ferndale	Nov. 24
Coos Bay, Newport	Nov. 25
Arcata, Coos Bay	Nov. 26
Rio Janiero, China and Japan	Nov. 27
City of Puebla, Vic and Pgt Sd	Nov. 27
Columbia, Portland	Nov. 29

ARRIVAL AT SAN FRANCISCO.

Mineola, Comox	Nov. 20
Eureka, Newport	Nov. 20
Wecott, Humboldt Bay	Nov. 20
President, Yaquina Bay	Nov. 20
Homer, Coos Bay	Nov. 21
Humboldt, Humboldt	Nov. 21
State of California, Portland	Nov. 22
Chilkat, Del River	Nov. 22
Santa Rosa, San Diego	Nov. 22
Peter Jebsen, Nanaimo	Nov. 22
Progreso, Seattle	Nov. 22
Pomona, Humboldt Bay	Nov. 23
Caarina, Coos Bay	Nov. 23
Mackinaw, Tacoma	Nov. 23
Wellington, Departure Bay	Nov. 25
City of Puebla, Vic and Pgt Sd	Nov. 26
Coos Bay, Newport	Nov. 24
Australia, Honolulu	Nov. 24
Arcata, Mexico	Nov. 24
Crescent City, Crescent City	Nov. 25
Orizaba, Mexico	Nov. 25
Queen, San Diego	Nov. 26
Columbia, Portland	Nov. 26
North Fork, Humboldt	Nov. 27
Del Norte, Grays Harbor	Nov. 27
Gaelic, China and Japan	Nov. 27

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The Weddings and Parties of the Week Just Past.

MANY AFFAIRS FOR THE FUTURE

Miss Moore's Reception Was the Principal Event of the Day.

GOSSIP FROM THE MEDDLER.

Miss Blix Smith Will Soon Don the Bridal Veil.

This is a tale of two Mammas-in-law. Mamma-in-law Number One is very haughty indeed, and Mamma-in-law Number Two is just a little haughtier than Number One. Not long ago the son of Mamma One married, and the austere old lady didn't like it at all. Now another son is engaged, and Mamma Two has as strong objections to her proposed son-in-law as ever Mamma One had to her daughter-in-law who is. Mamma One can't understand why any one should object to having her son in the family, but Mamma Two merely turns up her nose and says: "He is not in our set." Whereat Mamma One is properly agnast. These social chasms are very funny to the onlooker. The differences are so infinitesimal. Anyway, this frowned-upon engagement has opened the eyes of Mamma One to the fact that there are people who consider themselves better than she is. Mamma One can't understand that. Meanwhile the young lady shows a tendency to choose for herself, and has packed herself off to a Southern city without her maid. She shows the same disposition to choose for herself that the younger son showed, but this time Mamma One applauds, while before she deplored. What a difference it makes which side of the fence you're on! But I shouldn't wonder if this made a match of it. Somehow, maternal opposition doesn't count for much in these progressive days. The best way is to be graceful about it, and let the willful young people work out their own salvation. I know of a number of cases where this has been tried with excellent results. One may not like to have one's daughter marry a baseball player, as did the daughter of Robert Lincoln last week, but if she is determined the next best thing is to try to make a man out of the husband. These married boys sometimes rise to the situation. And after all, Miss Lincoln's grandfather was a rail splitter before he was President, and was never ashamed of it, either.

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Thinking over the week, I don't find much that is startling or amusing. The Moores gave a swell reception on Tuesday night. It was the nearest to a big thing that we have had for a long time. I guess that everybody had a very charming time. It was a lovely night, and the big grounds atop the hill were charmingly illuminated. There were lanterns everywhere, and had it been a warmer night a good many would have taken advantage of the garden as a place to stroll. As it was, a good many of the younger ones ventured. The porches were canvassed in, and the three hundred guests quite filled the house. All the Moore family are at home at present, and were in evidence. The guests were of all ages, and there were some unusually pretty gowns.

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It gives me a great deal of pleasure, and it will, I know, surprise you all, to hear the announcement of the engagement of Miss Blix Smith. Miss Smith is one of the attractive East Oakland girls. She is pretty, vivacious and very stylish indeed. She is a notable hostess, and her friends are always charmed to be bidden to her home. Not long ago Miss Smith visited for some months in the Eastern States, and in the South, and made quite a furor wherever she went. In St. Louis, especially, she was feted and petted, and came near never returning, so popular was she. Miss Smith is the eldest daughter of Mrs. P. J. Kenna of Thirteenth avenue. The young man is Mr. George Hammer of San Francisco. His family is well known across the bay and they are perfectly delighted with their prospective daughter-in-law. They will make a very good looking couple. I have heard nothing as yet of the time set for the wedding, except that it will be before very long.

An East Oakland wedding to take place this month is that of Miss Helen Richardson, daughter of the secretary of the Postoffice. Miss Richardson is one of the sweetest of girls, and seems like a child to the friends of the family. She is but nineteen, and is still very young to marry. She has, however, completed a course at the Baptist College, where she met the groom. Mr. Espee is also very young, but the parents of the couple are old fashioned enough to believe in youthful marriages, and all of them favor the match. The groom is now taking a course in mining in Berkeley, and will continue his studies. His family is well to do, and he himself is fortunate enough to have some property, so the financial question cuts no figure. The Espees are a well known family in Washington State, and the groom owns mines in Shasta county, where the young couple will probably ultimately live.

The bride will be married at her home, which is beautifully located at the very highest point of Summit street in Highland Park. Her father has been in the Federal employ for years, and she herself was born under the folds of the American flag while her father was Secretary of the United States Legation in Mexico.

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That was a very charming luncheon to the youthful set that was given by Miss Abbie Clift last Saturday. It was a "bud" luncheon, and sixteen of the young girls sat around the festive board. The decorations were elaborate, and the menu was as complicated as if these youthful maids had been antiquated gourmands with jaded palates. Everything imaginable was tied up with ribbons, as it is well known that a girl would rather look at a lot of indigestible ribbon than at the most toothsome truffle in the world. Age changes all that, and as one grows older the entree is the thing. But this luncheon was satisfying to stomach as well as to eye, and was all that a well regulated luncheon should be.

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Quite a number of good concerts have come and are coming our way. The Christian Endeavor Chorus concert on Thursday evening at the Macdonough, with the big chorus once more in operation and Beatrice Priest-Fine and Rhys Thomas for soloists, drew a large crowd, though I wonder that every one has not heard that chorus long ago. Mrs. Fine sang very nicely and looked as charming as she always does, but I do not like Mr. Thomas' voice at all. It is so rough and wooden, and absolutely expressionless. He can't sing any more than he can act, and I think he has sadly missed his profession. He should have been a fruit peddler and cried his wares.

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There were a good many Oakland people at Mrs. Schultz' concert in San Francisco on Tuesday evening. Mrs. Frank M. Smith, Mrs. Harry Thomas and Mrs. Wheaton were among the patronesses, and all worked hard for the success of the concert. Mrs. Schultz sang beautifully and with good expression. She is very handsome, as you all know, if you attend the First Congregational Church. Miss Florence Muriel Schultz, her daughter, who made her debut as a reader, made a most agreeable impression. She is also pretty, and her rendering was so very intelligent that she caught the audience at once. I tell you that is what counts—intelligence. That is almost all the Henschels had—a great deal of general culture and a broad intelligence, voices not above the average, but a most artistic method—and there you have it, the recipe for a great artist. It takes three things to make a great singer—voice, heart and hand. Some people have two of the ingredients. They have head and voice, but lack the heart. Some have plenty of soul and voice, but lack the intelligence. In order to sing well, or do anything else well, you must have suffered. Art only comes with heartache, and show me the woman or man who has never had a heart-break and I will show you a man or woman who cannot bring the tears to the eyes of others. Mrs. Henschel had one of the saddest faces I have ever seen. For all her smiles, you must all have noticed it if you have eyes to see. And the tones of her voice made my heart bleed.

And, by the way, the visit of these eminent artists is already bearing fruit. Little tricks and graces and a certain wistful simplicity and sincere directness is already observable in the manner of some of our singers. It is a move in the right direction. It is only a pity that the Henschels could not have remained long enough to give a really thorough course of instruction.

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A good many Oaklanders, among them Miss Ella Goodall, were over for the Henschel farewell in the city.

A number went over for Miss Ray Frank's talk on Friday in the ballroom of Mrs. Leon Sloss' residence, 1516 Van Ness avenue. Miss Frank will give five talks in the beautiful ballroom, on December 9th, January 6th and 27th, and on February 9th. All are at three o'clock in the afternoon, except the last, which is to be in the evening. She is patronized by about twenty very swell matrons, and her audience of about three hundred ladies was no end fashionable. You should have heard the taffetas rustle. I'd have liked to know how many yards were present just for ducks. Miss Frank's first talk was on "Queens of Society," and was historical and critical. She got up from a sick bed to give the lecture, and was as interesting as she always is. Her next subject is "Music and Its Revelations."

Mrs. Frank Moffitt was among the Oakland ladies present. Frau Von Rosenstirn was there from Berkeley.

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To return to the concerts, the King's Daughters are to give one in Reed's Hall on the 7th of December. They are to have some excellent singers, among them J. F. Fleming of the First Congregational Church choir of San Francisco, and the California Quartette, consisting of Messrs. Wendell, Gage, McBain and Dr. Smith. Mr. Wendell, who is the new tenor, will sing a solo also, and is to sing a song specially written for him, which I heard at a musicale the other night. It will make a furor. It is one of the sweetest things, and took New York by storm.

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The girls and boys are already preparing for the Thanksgiving game. Most of us are going to root for Berkeley and the 'Varsity this year, and are prepared to come home as usual, dragging our colors behind us. Still, we are getting out our pretty, bright bows, and preparing to make the best of a bad bargain. Whatever else they may say of us, our hearts are true to Poll. We shall have a tremendous delegation. Everybody as is anybody will be there.

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Mrs. Booth of Piedmont gave a large card party on Thursday. All the ladies who were so devoted to whist and Kate Wheelock last winter were present.

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The friends of Mrs. Nina D. Crittenden will be glad to learn that she is convalescing from her recent illness and will receive her friends the first and third Thursdays through the winter.

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Mrs. William R. Wheeler, who has moved to 1817 Hyde street, San Francisco, is receiving the last Thursday of the month.

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Mr. Hush has returned from New York, leaving Florence and Jean and Estelle Magee in New York. All the girls are working, and they say that Mrs. Tom is the busiest of them all. Tom Magee has reached Dawson in safety. In his last letter to Mrs. Tom, parts of which I was permitted to peep at, he said they were dining on Moose steak at two dollars the pound, which is all very well for millionaires, but hard on impecunious mortals.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Kirby of Central avenue, Alameda, are entertaining their young and charming granddaughters from Pennsylvania. They are the Misses Kirby and Miss Spaulding, and their presence is making quite a stir in the younger circles of Alameda. Several luncheons and dinners are planning in their honor.

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Those of us who used to buy hats of dashing Rey Wilson were interested to know that the lady is thinking of suing the Crocker estate. She says she could have been Mrs. Crocker if she had fancied. Well, maybe she could, but I doubt it. Not many women would decline Colonel Crocker's hand—and what was in it. Millionaires don't propose every day. I know at least one stunning Oaklander who, like Barkis, was perfectly willin'. I wonder what Mrs. Sather thinks of M. Rey. She chaperoned her once at Castle Crag, you know. That was where she met the heart-breaking Colonel.

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To change the subject abruptly. Rev. and Mrs. Knodell of the Pilgrim Congregational Church celebrated their silver wedding anniversary Tuesday night. The congregation gave them a party and came bearing gifts. It was a very pleasant affair. C. H. King made the presentation speech.

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On Friday night all the Hutchinsons, Tom Driscoll, Ed Sessions and several others went to the cotillon in the city. Belle Hutchinson looked very pretty indeed.

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Next week will see a very interesting doll show in the city at the Palace. All the swell dressmakers are dressing dolls, and it is to be an ultra-fashionable affair. There are lots of prizes. Miss Blair is in charge, and all the debutantes will be there.

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On Thanksgiving Day the pretty little Church of the Advent, quite free of debt, is to be dedicated. It must be charming to owe nobody. I hear that it is a condition of mind unknown to most of our supposedly swell set. Well, it troubles my very soul to owe anybody, but somehow I never could make my allowance fit my needs.

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And I'm sleepy now, dear Trib. Here's a box of gloves that my beloved Berkeley won't win. I never had any luck, and somehow things never came the way of the MEDDLER.

A COMING WEDDING.

A very interesting engagement was announced during the week—that of Miss Helen M. Richardson of Highland Park and Henry A. Espey. The wedding is announced for Thanksgiving eve, and will take place at the home of the groom, on Summit and Lincoln streets. The prospective bride is the daughter of D. S. Richardson, Secretary of the San Francisco Post Office. Her father was at one time Secretary of the American Legation at the City of Mexico, and it was here that the daughter was born in 1878. She is a graduate of California College Academy. The prospective groom is the son of R. H. Espey of the State of Washington, where he is a well known capitalist. Mr. Espey Jr. is now completing a course of mining at the State University, and owns the Etnier mines in Shasta county.

ENTERTAINED THEIR FRIENDS

The ladies of the Eighth avenue M. E. Church entertained their friends at a New England dinner Thursday evening, which was a great success in every respect. The social hall was very prettily decorated with branches of the pepper tree. Bouquets of flowers adorned the tables, over which glowed the soft shaded light of many lamps.

The ladies in charge of the tables were: Mrs. Hunt, Mrs. Walker, Mrs. Grant, Mrs. Weeks, Mrs. Graham, Mrs. Miller, Mrs. Newell, Misses Newell, Mrs. Hardy, Mrs. Evert, Miss Gertie Weeks, Miss Switzer.

The Committee of Arrangements included Mrs. Walker, Mrs. Hardy, Mrs. Newell, Mrs. Lombard, Mr. and Mrs. Watson and Mrs. Lombard received the visitors. The decorations were the artistic work of Mrs. Frank Walker.

MOORE RECEPTION.

Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Moore entertained the friends of the younger members of the family at a reception Tuesday evening at their residence. It was an affair entirely for the young people, very few of even the young married ones attending. It proved a very enjoyable event and over 300 guests called during the evening. The house decorations were in white and yellow, chrysanthemums and bamboo being used.

The spacious garden was illuminated with lanterns, where the guests wandered at will in the beautiful evening.

Misses Ethel and Carmen Moore were assisted in receiving by Mrs. F. M. Smith, Miss Grace Sperry, Miss Bessie Palmer, Miss Florence Green, Miss Marietta Havens, Miss Florence Starr, Miss Grace Sanborn, Miss Annie Clay, Miss Susie Byxbee, Miss Agnes Duff, Miss Juliet Garber, Miss Lillian Strong, Miss Jessie Glascock, Miss Minnie Bailey, Miss Mabel Gage, Miss Luita Booth, Miss Nina Pringle, Miss Emma Wellman.

KINDERGARTEN PICNIC.

The children of the Oakland Central Free Kindergarten enjoyed a happy day Wednesday when Miss Maud Jacobus invited them all to become her guests at her home in Niles. Fifty-nine of the little ones left for Niles on the 9 o'clock train. Mr. Jacobus met them with busses and carriages and conveyed them to the Jacobus home, about a mile from town. The little ones had a feast all the day. Fruits and candy were given them by their kind entertainers. A bountiful luncheon was spread for them at noon and then the long afternoon passed quickly in games and songs on the lawn. The neighbors remembered the guests too and brought gifts of apples and oranges. The children returned to their homes at 4:30 o'clock. Memories of the pleasant day will undoubtedly long linger in the minds of the children, whose pleasures are indeed few. They were accompanied by Miss Grace Patterson, Principal; Miss Maud Jacobus, Miss Marguerite Williams and Miss Maud Gerald.

GAIETY GIRL'S DANCE.

The Gaitey Girl's Club was charmingly entertained last evening by Miss Julia Leigh at the residence of Dr. Frank L. Adams on Telegraph avenue. Dancing was the amusement of the evening. The wide parlors were very prettily decorated with bamboo and red flowers, effectively combined. The younger set of society was present in full force and the affair was an extremely pretty one, being among the largest functions of the week. The "Gaiety Girls" are Misses Anita and Pauline Lohse, Abbie Clift, Edith Gaskill, Olive Middleton, Jennie Crellin, Ruth Metcalf.

The invited guests were as follows: Miss Edith Adams, Miss Gertrude Allen, Miss Martha Alexander, Miss Susie Bixby, Miss Greene, Miss Sadie Hale, Misses Jacqueline and Carmen Moore, Miss Quinan, Miss Florence Green, Miss Blanche Sharon, Misses Fore, Miss Irene Baker, Miss Etta Havens, Miss Mamie Cooper, Miss Helen Martin, Misses Stubb, Miss Crissie Taft, Miss Florence Boone, Miss Marie Messer, Miss Bertha McElrath, Miss May Scott, Miss Gregory, Miss Mabel Gunn, Miss Bessie Gage, Miss Bessie Palmer, Miss Harriet Kittredge, Miss Laura Van Wyde, Miss May Bell, Miss Kate Chabot, Miss Kitty Anderson, Misses Lulu and Susie Holcomb, Mr. and Mrs. Havens.

Messrs. Boardman, Will Smith, Gregory, Conklin, Marsh, Cooper, Will Russell, Allen Chickering, Malone, McDonald, Lundberg, Walter Starr, Henry Bavard, Max Taft, Middleton, Roy Burrill, Messer, Fred Bixby, Clarence Pringle, Harry Farr, Wigmore, Lawrence Greene, George Cushing, Ray McCabe, Carl Hoffman, Jack Hoffman, Ben Bakewell, Warren Olney, Will Olney, George Fesson, Dan Belden, John Howard, Clarence Creed, Stanley Moore, Mr. Graham, Bernard Miller, Elliott Polter, Walter Gibbon, Mr. Noy, Mr. Kimble, Otto Wedemeyer, Mr. Wilburn, Dave Rosece, Norris English, Mr. Clift, F. Stadmuller, Al Moore, Abe Leach, Henry Quinan, Mr. Coleman, E. C. Leffingwell, Mr. Wakefield, Louis Lohse.

DAUGHTERS OF ISRAEL.

The largest event of its kind this week was the annual charity affair of the Daughters of Israel, which took place Thursday evening at Pythian Hall. The programme was in two parts, the first supplied by the inimitable minstrels, the second by a number of clever vaudeville performances. Every feature of the programme won great applause from the large audience. When the curtain rose, the company beheld minstrels, gorgeous of dress, and black and grinning of face. The gentlemen were smart in swallow-tail coats, with red or yellow lapels, monstrous bows, and boutonniers of flowers that never knew either sun or rain. The young ladies were attired in a variety of costumes, which, if not pleasing to the artistic eye, were certainly ridiculous enough to make the show a success by its looks. After the opening chorus, "Handicap" by the company, Harry Melvin sang "Clover Blossoms" and received an encore. The programme was interlarded with clever jokes and gags. Sol Kahn, who had not assumed a make-up, acting as interlocutor, a role in which he was very successful. The songs which followed were:

Comic song, "Mr. Johnson Turn Me Loose," Fred Frankenberg; comic song, "Ma Honey, Ma Angemime," Miss Frances Basch; baritone solo, "Flight of Ages," Mr. J. Wheaton Leonard; comic song, "My Coal Black Lady," Mr. Bert Lissner; comic song, "Miss Ambolena Snow," Miss Della Tobriner; baritone solo, "The Ship I Love," Mr. M. Leipsic; comic song, "A Hot Time," Mr. Eli Schwartzbaum; comic song, "All Coons Look Alike to Me," Miss Gussie Alexander; comic song, "Eb'ry Nigger Has a Lady But Me," Mr. N. Strassburg; comic song, "My Gal's a High Born Lady," Miss Butler; closing chorus, "Isabella," company.

Miss Arabella Jones was the nom de plume of Miss F. Basch, while Miss Snowdrop Washington was none other than Miss Dell Tobriner. Miss A. Butler concealed her identity from the public by assuming the name of Miss Lily White, and Miss G. Alexander was Miss Angelina Black for the evening.

The vaudeville programme was as follows: Alex Rosborough, song and dance; Spanish students, A. Marks, A. O'Brien, Dr. Corwin, Belle Hershberg, H. Whitten, Leah Harris, Yvette Guilbert, Carrie Beel; Cleo de Merode, F. Frankenberg; Waterman sisters, negro melodies; original sketch, Clarence Leavey and Freda Gallick. Every feature of this was greatly applauded. Carrie Beel was extremely dainty and very pretty as Yvette Guilbert, and the Waterman sisters became at once popular with their negro melodies.

Dancing followed and was enjoyed until a late hour.

Louis Scheeline officiated as floor manager and was assisted by I. Tobriner, F. Kahn, and L. Reiss.

Among those present the following were noted: Mr. and Mrs. H. Abrahamson, Mr. and Mrs. S. Kahn, Mr. and Mrs. D. Magnes, Mr. and Mrs. M. Scheeline, Mr. and Mrs. J. Harris, Mr. and Mrs. D. Magnus, Mr. and Mrs. M. Scharman, Mr. and Mrs. G. Samuels, Mr. and Mrs. S. Samuels, Mr. and Mrs. A. Alexander, Mr. and Mrs. H. Hoffman, Mr. and Mrs. E. Schwartzbaum, Mr. and Mrs. I. Tobriner, Mr. and Mrs. M. Coffee, Mr. F. Cohen, N. Seligman, F. J. Moffitt, J. Setten, Mrs. Zelmer, E. Bernstein, Mr. and Mrs. A. Jonas, Mr. and Mrs. M. Cohen, Mrs. F. Cahen, Mr. and Mrs. B. Frankenberg, Mr. and Mrs. Sert, Mr. and Mrs. Jacoby of Los Angeles, Rabbi Friedlander, Mrs. Rattenberg, Misses F. Benheim, E. Scheeline, R. Scheeline, E. Jacobi, C. Abrahamson, A. Tobriner, D. Tobriner, J. Rosenberg, L. Cahen, M. Cohen, L. Peres, B. Hirschberg, R. Goshinsky, A. Meyers, C. Bauer, C. Green, D. Hirschberg, F. Badt, M. Well, A. Peres, B. Boas, C. Beel, F. Bernstein, A. Bernstein, Mr. Rattenberg, Misses Judden of Alameda, Messrs. S. Scheeline, I. Tobriner, F. Kahn, L. Reis, H. Kahn, N. Strassberg, J. Cohen, A. Cohen, B. Lissner, M. Munter, O. Juddell, M. Levy, A. Alexander, A. Bernheim, F. Klein, I. Abrahamson, B. Frankenberg, A. Rosborough, E. Long, S. Lachman, M. Jacobs, M. Gratz, Dr. Boyes, Otto Muhr, F. Muhr, F. Bernstein.

The officers of the society, which has entered upon its twenty-sixth year of usefulness, are: President, Mrs. E. Bernstein; vice-president, Mrs. M. Coffey; treasurer, Mrs. M. Cohen; recording secretary, Mrs. D. S. Hershberg; financial secretary, Mrs. E. Barnett; board of directors, Mrs. R. Hershberg, Mrs. D. Magnes, Mrs. A. Abrahamson, Mrs. Max Marcuse, Mrs. Sol Kahn.

COMING EVENTS.

The final arrangements for the Grand Mardi Gras Masquerade Carnival have been completed and a most enjoyable time will be had by all those who attend next Wednesday evening. The elegant prizes have been on exhibition at the store of Keller & Fitzgerald for the past week. The different committees will be composed of the following officers of the Club: President, T. Marcovich; vice president, H. Ross; secretary, P. I. Daniels; assistant secretary, Dr. A. M. Greisser; treasurer, M. Katich.

The Modern Trojans will give a bonbon social at Loring Hall, Thursday evening.

The merry monarchs will give their first annual masquerade ball next Saturday at Germania Hall. The prizes are said to be very handsome. Among the leaders of this club are Frank Burns, Frank Moore, George Clark and others.

EVENTS OF THE WEEK.

A very good programme was enjoyed at the St. Markus Church, Thursday evening. The church was filled and the singers and speakers received much applause.

A successful entertainment was given at St. Frances de Sales Hall, Tuesday evening by Company N. League of the Cross Cadets. It was the occasion of the presentation of the gold medal won by Matt Bronner in the voting contest at the Fair. Those who took part in the programme were: The Athenian Orchestra, W. Griffith, J. Beebe, Lieutenant Wyms, Miss May Gilpin, Professor Mullen and others. Captain J. J. Powers and Lieutenant Dennis Hannahan had charge of the affair.

Miss May Helen Rich, daughter of Abram Rich of Alameda and Gerald E. Goggin were married Thursday, Rev. Father Conway officiating. Miss Margaret Rich and Neil McDonald attended the bridal couple. The honeymoon is being spent in Santa Cruz.

Miss Marion Judge and George Kelley were quietly married last Sunday by Rev. Father King at his residence. They are spending the honeymoon in Sacramento and will reside on Jefferson street in this city.

A MUSICAL TREAT.

A musical treat is promised at the Ebell this evening by the musical section of the society. A programme of seven numbers will be rendered by the celebrated tenor, Xavier Rolker, and M. Pierre Doutillet, the pianist at the San Jose college. Miss Flora Kendall will accompany Mr. Rolker. Among the numbers will be "Waft Her, Angels, Throug the Sky," (ensemble), an aria from "Faust," and Oriental song composed by M. Doutillet, and sung by Mr. Rolker, an overture from "Egmont" (Beethoven), and some gems from Chopin.

Mrs. Renz is the hostess of the evening. An informal reception will follow at which Mrs. Renz will be assisted by Mrs. Ernest Cotton.

THE UP-TO-DATES.

The Up To Dates gave their fourth grand dance at Chapman Hall last Wednesday evening, November 17th. It was one of the most enjoyable dances given by the club which is becoming very popular. The hall was beautifully decorated with ferns and the club's colors, purple and pink. One of the features of the evening was the music furnished by Lercher's Orchestra. The floor was in charge of L. O. Fairbanks, assisted by H. Witt and Wm. Rohrbacher.

The hall was crowded to its utmost capacity, there being over one hundred couples in the grand march.

Those present were: Miss Breges, Miss Smith, Miss Gwin, Miss Walsh, Miss Fitzgerald, Miss Fuller, Miss Hurley, Miss Moore, Misses Fox, Miss Gilmore, Misses Taylor, Miss Rohrbacher, Miss Bode, Miss Mee, Miss Shunoff, Miss Long, Miss Barnes, Miss Reler, Miss Comberger, Miss Witt, Miss Peters, Miss Hair, Misses Gardiner, Miss Schmidt, Miss Kans, Misses Grabs, Misses Armstrong, Miss Rouse, Miss Bradley, Miss Waldo, Miss Hamlin, Miss Whittaker, Mr. and Mrs. Prole, Mr. and Mrs. La Prossi, Miss Sawyer, Miss Fairbanks, Miss Black, Miss Filmore, Miss Lieshoff, Miss Grant, Miss Betina, Miss Sullivan, Miss Mason, Misses O'Leary, Miss Ross, Miss Kley, Miss McCarthy, Miss Dolan, Miss Goble, Misses Clausen, Miss Lewis, Miss Gardner, Miss Tawgert, Miss Bruns, Miss Marson, Miss Durand, Misses Hetherington, Miss Maison, Miss Cook, Miss Johnson, Miss Nelson, Miss Richmond, Miss Gross, Misses Robinson, Miss Olsen, Miss O'Brien, Miss Erwin, Miss Dunn, Misses Harns, Miss Thome, Miss Whitney, Miss King, Miss Ford, Miss Ames, Miss Rose, Miss Little, Miss Neuman, Miss O'Connor, Miss Pringle, Miss Rodgers, Miss Schafer, Miss Ward, Miss Ingersoll, Miss Pope, Misses Thompson, Miss Slater, Miss Whitehead, Miss Brown, Miss Kinsel, Miss Goodman, Miss Cushing, Miss Cunningham, Miss Bartlett; Mr. Lee, Mr. Castro, Messrs. Fine, Mr. Bode, Mr. Dunn, Messrs. Sullivan, Mr. Speath, Mr. Carpenter, Mr. Armstrong, Mr. Livingston, Mr. Kerchiner, Mr. Erickson, Mr. Ohme, Mr. Knott, J. Colgate, W. Colgate, Mr. Wilson, Mr. Williams, Mr. Billesbach, Mr. Love, Mr. Geary, Mr. Fairbanks, Mr. Whittaker, Mr. Witt, Wm. Rohrbacher, A. C. Rohrbacher, Mr. Stecker, Messrs. Flashman, Mr. Dunlap, Mr. Kane, Mr. Lauffer, Mr. Gunter, Mr. Cron, Mr. Maloon, and Misses Maloon, Mr. Krueckel, Mr. MacKinnon, Mr. Dolan, Mr. Sperb, Mr. Bell, Mr. Schneider, Mr. Jaegels, Mr. Kelley, Mr. Ayers, Mr. Gwin, Mr. Hill, Mr. Mann, Mr. Jeffries, Mr. Bolton, Mr. Dohrman, Mr. Freits, Mr. Rose, Mr. Spear, Mr. Breges, Mr. Mackey, H. Whittaker, F. Fairbanks, Mr. Smith, Mr. Oliver, Mr. Leitch, Mr. Morrison, Mr. Horton, Prof. Chapman, Mr. Foster, Mr. Hulbert, Mr. Jenson, Mr. Black, Mr. Woods, Wm. Grant, Mr. Drummond, Mr. Murphy, Mr. Wells, Mr. Ramos, Mr. Fairchilds, Mr. Goble, Mr. Grabs, Mr. Norton, Messrs. Brooks, Mr. White, Mr. Peterson, Mr. Anderson, Mr. Johnson, Mr. Moore, and others.

The officers of the club are: President, Wm. Rohrbacher; vice-president, L. O. Fairchilds; secretary, H. Witt; treasurer, Wm. Stecker, board of directors: A. C. Rohrbacher, Wm. Whittaker, and George Geary.

Mardi Gras Masquerade, Germania Hall, Wednesday evening, November 24

GREGG PARTY.

One of the events in juvenile social circles in Berkeley this week was the party given Thursday afternoon by Mr. and Mrs. Wellington Gregg, Jr., in honor of their daughter, Miss Ethel May Gregg, on the occasion of her fourth birthday. The little guests were: Ida, Constance, Lucy and Olive Winter, Gracie and Leland Bergen, Doris Overman, Elsie, Nora, Oroville, and Stewart Barker, Paul Shirley, David, Flora, and Jane McDonald, Wallace Tisdale, Gladys Bernett, Zelma Adams, Laura and Herbert Blake, May Butterfield, Ethel Barkley, Johnnie McClure and Alfred Fowden.

WILLIAMS PARTY.

Mr. and Mrs. David Williams charmingly entertained a few of their young friends last Saturday evening at their home on High street.

A pleasant evening was spent with music and songs by Miss Skimmings of Alameda and Miss Elvine Benson. Dancing and games then followed, and later a delicious supper was partaken of.

Among the guests were: Misses Helene and Elvine Benson, Mrs. Skimmings, Mr. Skimmings, Mrs. Finck, Miss Finck, Mr. Hammond, Dr. Manly Enos.

LINCOLN'S MONUMENT.

An entertainment for the benefit of the Lincoln League monument fund will be given at Lorin Hall, corner of Eleventh and Clay streets, under the auspices of Col. E. D. Baker Camp of Sons of Veterans on Tuesday evening, November 30th.

The programme will consist of literary and musical selections by some of the best known local talent. There will also be an address by Hon. Frank McGowan upon the life of Abraham Lincoln. The admission fee of 25 cents will entitle the holder to a certificate in the monument fund.

CLUB OF TWENTY-ONE.

The Twenty-one Whist Club was pleasantly entertained at the home of Miss Mary Whitney Tuesday, and spent a delightful afternoon. Miss Lillian Donney of Berkeley won the prize, a picture of Marie Louise.

SWEDISH-AMERICAN BAZAAR

The United Swedish-American Societies in San Francisco and Oakland will give a grand bazar at Native Sons' Hall, 414 Mason street, San Francisco, November 30th to December 4th, inclusive, for the benefit of the Swedish-American building fund, originated for the purpose of erecting a hall which shall be primarily for the use of the Swedish people. Excellent programmes, containing musical, literary and theatrical features, will be rendered. Dr. E. Nelander of San Francisco will give the opening address Tuesday evening. Mrs. Dr. F. Westerberg will sing, accompanied by H. Ohrwall, both well known musicians in Swedish circles. The tableaux will be extremely pretty.

THE M. H. D. C.

The Masonic Hall Dancing Club gave its forty-fourth ball Thursday evening at Masonic Hall. It was a very successful affair and was well attended.

THE GRAYSON DINNER.

Mr. and Mrs. George Grayson entertained a number of their friends at dinner recently. The table was very prettily decorated and among the guests were Judge and Mrs. Garber, Mr. and Mrs. Phillips, Mr. and Mrs. J. Owens, Mr. and Mrs. McNear.

AT THE EBELL.

The event at the Ebell this week was the Kipling afternoon Tuesday, presided over by Mrs. L. F. Cockroft. The discussion was of a highly intelligent order, and was ably participated in by Mrs. John Von Helms, Mrs. R. P. Gleason, Mrs. Smith, Mrs. G. W. Kelly, Mrs. L. S. Burchard, Mrs. Kate Bulkeley, Miss Susie Hobart. Mrs. Howard Bray read extracts from Kipling's works. Miss Grace Musser discussed the morality and art creed of Kipling from a spiritual standpoint, while Miss Elsie Lee treated

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An Ambitious Girl.

From the New Era, Greensburg, Ind.

This paper recently received information that the ten year old daughter of Mr. M. Rybolt, of Hartsville, Ind., had been cured of a severe illness. The case seemed more than an ordinary one, and consequently a special representative was sent to investigate.

The Rybolts are well-to-do farmers living about two miles southwest of Hartsville. When the reporter called Mr. and Mrs. Rybolt and their daughter in question, Louise, were at home, also the other three children. Louise is the oldest. She had been going to school for four years, and was formerly in very good health, but for the past year or more she has been ill.

A year ago the present winter it was noticed that she was breaking down in health. For a time the cause could not be ascertained, but it was finally decided that it was from over-study. It has always been the ambition of Louise to educate herself as soon as possible, for she was anxious to graduate from the common branches early, and to enter a college of music, which her parents promised she could do as soon as she should finish the common branches.

How many children by diligent study to achieve their ambitions are injuring their health. It was so in this case. The child studied hard all day and often far into the night, and had won the respect and admiration of her teacher and of all the school by her aptness, and rapid learning.

For some time Louise experienced an indisposition which she would not make known to her parents, for fear they would have her remain from school. Her headache soon became unendurable, and was noticed by her teacher. She had by this time grown pale and weak.

One day she became suddenly sick at school, and was taken home.

For several weeks she suffered from a fever, and the physicians could not rally her. A neighbor urged them to try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People, which they finally did with splendid results. Louise began getting better at once, and by the time she had consumed ten boxes of the pills she was cured.

"What you have written is true," said Mrs. Rybolt. "I don't think Louise would have recovered had it not been for Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People. She is in perfect health to-day, and able to re-enter school.

"We are using these pills in our family when we need medicine, and find that they do more good than doctors' medicines, and they are not nearly so expensive. I would be glad to recommend them to any one who is sick, and can especially recommend them in any case similar to Louise's."

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People have an enormous sale, and from all quarters come in glowing reports of the excellent results following their use. An analysis proves that they contain in a condensed form all the elements necessary to give new life and richness to the blood and restore shattered nerves. They are an unfailing specific for such diseases as locomotor ataxia, partial paralysis, St. Vitus' dance, sciatica, neuralgia, rheumatism, nervous headache, the after effects of la grippe, palpitation of the heart, pale and sallow complexions, that tired feeling resulting from nervous prostration; all diseases resulting from vitiated humors in the blood, such as scrofula, chronic erysipelas, etc. They are also a specific for troubles peculiar to females, such as suppressions, irregularities, and all forms of weakness. They build up the blood and restore the glow of health to pale and sallow cheeks. In men they effect a radical cure in all cases arising from mental worry, overwork or excesses of whatever nature. There are no ill effects following the use of this wonderful medicine, and it can be given to children with perfect safety.

These pills are manufactured by the Dr. Williams' Medicine Company, Schenectady, N. Y., and are sold only in boxes bearing the firm's trade mark and wrapper, at 50 cents a box or six boxes for $2.50, and are never sold in bulk. They may be had of all druggists or direct by mail from Dr. Williams' Medicine Company. The price at which these pills are sold makes a course of treatment inexpensive as compared with other remedies.

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The Story of a Lamppost.

There's a man in Oakland who went to lodge and came home tipsy. He noticed early in the evening that the lamp posts appeared at regular intervals; but observing, when returning home, that there were about 100 lights to the block, he muttered: "It's time for the City Council to retrench!"

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SUBSCRIPTIONS ASKED FOR.

Appreciation of the Man Who Did So Much for Mankind.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

NEW YORK, Nov. 20.—The Henry George Memorial Committee, of which Mayor Strong and Seth Low are members, met in the City Hall and drew up an appeal which will be made to the public in a few days. The appeal is as follows:

"The sudden death of Henry George, which was caused by his self-sacrificing exertions in an earnest and unselfish effort to serve the interests of the people, has given rise to a desire that some memorial subscription should be raised in token of public sympathy and appreciation. This feeling is shared quite as fully by those who differed with Mr. George's views as by those who agreed with him.

"The life of Henry George was devoted by him absolutely and without reserve to the service of mankind. He not only sought nothing for himself but sacrificed every chance for personal profit for the sake of the highest good of his fellowmen. It was universally recognized that in standing as a candidate for an important office, his motives were entirely disinterested, without a thought to his own profit or fame. Such lives are so rare as to deserve the fullest recognition and the highest honor.

"No memorial to Henry George could be at once more grateful to him and no more satisfactory to all who recognize his worth than a provision made by public subscription to put his widow in such a position of comfort as she would undoubtedly have enjoyed had her husband devoted his genius and his wonderful power as a writer to the benefit of his family instead of the benefit of humanity. Therefore, at the request of many friends and admirers of Henry George, the undersigned have consented to act as a committee to receive public subscriptions to such an extent as may be necessary to secure for Mrs. George a satisfactory support for the remainder of her life. The surplus beyond that amount will be used in providing such permanent memorial as, in the judgment of the committee, acting for subscribers, will be most suitable."

SOCIETY NEWS.

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the same aspect of the author's work from the material standpoint.

Edward Xavier Rolker, the lyric tenor of San Francisco, will give a concert tonight before the Ebell. The programme is very fine. The hostess for the evening is Mrs. Renz.

MERRITT LUNCHEON.

A very pretty luncheon party was given last Saturday by Mrs. Frederick Merritt at her home in East Oakland. The decorations in parlors and on the tables were in violet, and were very tasteful. A pleasant afternoon followed the dainty luncheon. Mrs. Merritt was assisted in entertaining her guests by her sister, Miss Flora Sedgwick.

Among the guests were Mrs. T. T. Dargie, Mrs. Will Meek, Miss Sallie Hampton, Miss Grace Samborn, Mary and Ethel Whitney, Augusta and Mamie Kent.

WHEELOCK WHIST CLUB.

The members of the Wheelock Whist Club were the guests of Mrs. Q. A. Chase this week. The meeting was a very successful one, the hospitality of Mrs. Chase adding to the enjoyment of the cards.

Among those present were: Mrs. Gordon Stolp, Mrs. Remi Chabot, Mrs. J. B. Wright, Mrs. T. C. Coogan, Mrs. W. H. Chickering, Mrs. E. H. Kittredge, Mrs. Frederick Hall, Mrs. Charles Houghton, Mrs. Frank Brown, Mrs. F. I. Kendall, Mrs. Starr, Mrs. John Yule, Mrs. Paul Lohse, Mrs. Hayward G. Thomas, Mrs. R. W. Gorrill, Mrs. Willard Barton.

A COMING EVENT.

Miss Abrahamson will give an "at home" at her residence, 1214 Linden street, November 28th, in honor of Miss Jacoby of Los Angeles, who is at present her guest. It promises to be a very pretty affair.

THE EVANS TEA.

One of the largest events of the month will be the tea to be given on the afternoon of the 26th by the Misses Cora and Leila Evans, in honor of Miss Mary Fay and Miss Orrilla Donnell of Los Angeles, who have been visiting in this city for some time. Over 400 cards have been sent out for the event. The decorations will be very pretty.

THE "IN AND OUT."

The "In and Out Whist Club" was pleasantly entertained by Mrs. Egbert Stone at her pretty home near San Leandro Tuesday afternoon. A lively game was played, after which dainty refreshments were partaken of.

Among the members of the club are: Mr. and Mrs. Horry Meek, Mr. and Mrs. Will Meek, Lieutenant and Mrs. Dunwoody, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Crellin, Miss Jennie Stone, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Morris, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Knight and others.

SHIELDS--WILLIAMS.

Justice Wood to-day performed the ceremony that made William Henry Williams and Madeline Claire Shields, both of San Francisco, man and wife.

W. C. T. U. ENTERTAINMENT.

The very pleasant home of Rev. and Mrs. J. M. French on Castro street was the scene of a pleasant gathering of the friends and members of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union on Thursday afternoon, in the interests of the Pacific Ensign, the State paper of that organization. Mrs. Annie Little Barry, business manager of the paper, was present, and gave an interesting talk on what would best help the interests of the paper. Miss Gertrude Kimball favored the friends with some piano selections. After refreshments, Mrs. R. R. Johnston told some of the enjoyable things in store next Friday at the County Quarterly Convention, to be held in the Twenty-third Avenue Church, East Oakland.

PERSONAL AND SOCIAL.

Judge and Mrs. John H. Boalt have returned from their country home near Cloverdale and are at their home, 1003 Twelfth street, for the winter.

Brace Hayden of New York will be the guest of the Dunham family in this city during his stay on the coast.

Mrs. Arnold Markus, formerly Lillian Beckett of East Oakland, has returned from Europe, where she has been spending six months.

George W. McNear entertained a number of his business associates and their wives at dinner Monday.

Mrs. J. F. McElrath is planning for a candy pull to be given for the benefit of the Temescal Free Kindergarten.

Miss Alice B. Tevis has returned from a visit with Judge and Mrs. Boact at Cloverdale.

The engagement is announced of Miss Etta McAlister and Edgar O. Farley.

Mrs. N. E. Benjamin and Miss Ruth Benajmin of Napa are visiting Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Benjamin of Oak street.

Mrs. John J. Valentine has returned from the East, where she left Miss Ethel Valentine at school.

Mrs. J. M. Costigan has been entertaining the Misses Schwartz of Los Angeles this week, who are attending the Hamlin school in San Francisco.

Charles E. Dedrick is in Jamestown, Tuolumne county, this week.

Gordon Stolp left for a business trip to Chicago Wednesday evening.

Miss Lena Redington is at Ann Arbor as the representative of her Society, Phi Gamma Beta, U. C.

Miss Florence Sharon is at present in Chicago.

Miss Bernice Macdonald left for the East and Europe Tuesday. Her trip will include Scotland, London, Paris, and other places of interest.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Brown and Miss Florinne Brown have returned from their trip East. They visited New York, Boston and Chicago.

TO-NIGHT—Weather Permitting

$150.00 Worth of Goods

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Fifteen Minutes of Solid Fun

TONIGHT at 7:45 SHARP we will begin to THROW AWAY through our up stairs windows $50.00 worth of goods, selected from the various Departments, and at 9:55 we will THROW AWAY the other $100.00 worth.

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URUGUAY'S DICTATOR.

How Cuestas Seeks to Reach the Presidential Chair.

CANNONS FROWN ON THE PLAZA

Senor Herrera, a Rival, Lies Strongly Guarded in Jail.

PLEDGE OF THE UPSTART.

Panic Prevails and People Seek Shelter Behind Locked Doors.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

NEW YORK, Nov. 20.—The Herald's correspondent in Montevideo telegraphs:

"It is rumored—and the rumor can be easily traced to high sources—that the president ad interim, Senor Cuestas, intends to establish a dictatorship. He has taken upon himself extraordinary powers to prevent a rebellion and Montevideo is practically under martial law. Under the president's orders, troops have occupied all the strategic points of the city and the excitement is intense. Cannon have been run into positions overlooking the Plaza de Armasa, to prevent the gathering of crowds there, and troops are now on guard all over the city.

"In the meantime President Cuestas has placed a strong guard around the block in which is situated the home of Senor Julio Herrera, and Senor Herrera is a prisoner. He is Senor Cuestas' principal opponent in the race for president, and it is believed he is at the head of the movement which has for its purpose the overthrow of Cuestas by force. It is to prevent such a movement that President Cuestas has taken radical steps.

"In addition to these measures of precaution, Colonel Echevarla, commander of the fourth battalion of infantry, who is said to be associated with Senor Herrera, has been placed under arrest. It is believed that he intended to deliver his men over to the conspirators, and the battalion has been ordered to remain in its quarters.

"Panic reigns in the city. The military preparations have added to the feeling of fear, and hundreds of citizens have closed and locked their houses.

"President Cuestas has published his acceptance of a nomination for president. This was seized upon by Senor Herrera to begin active work against Cuestas, although the acceptance created a good impression generally. In it Senor Cuestas declared that if elected he would resign the moment he should lose the confidence of the people.

"Senor Cuestas was formerly president of the Senate, and when President Borda was assassinated took the presidency ad interim.

"It is stated on high authority that the Chamber of Deputies will be dissolved owing to its opposition to President Cuestas.

VACANT LOTS SOON TO BLOSSOM.

Pingree Movement Getting Nearer to Active Work.

A Committe Appointed to Secure Donations of Unused Lands.

The Citizens Committee of Fifty to carry into practice the Pingree plan of land cultivation for the benefit of the poor, met in the Council chamber last night.

W. B. Ludlow presided

Among those present were W. B. Ludlow, W. C. Mason, George Kirk, J. N. Hager, William Kirk, E. W. Woodward, W. I. Reed, George Smith, C. L. Champlin, J. H. Shepherd, A. A. Denison, D. C. Brown, D. D. Prettyman, Rev. Mr. McKnight, Mrs. C. H. Redington, Mrs. J. P. McElroy, Mrs. J. H. Shepherd, Mrs. E. W. Woodward, Mrs. S. J. Cassiday, Mrs. A. D. Thompson, Mrs. Sarah C. Borland, Mrs. Helen L. Kelley, Miss Bertha Shafter, Miss Maggie Connors, Miss Brown, Dr. Sarah Shuey.

Mayor Thomas said that Mrs. Chas. Webb Howard, John M. Cushing, Mrs. E. D. Olney and others would assist in the work.

A. A. Denison, representing the Associated Charities, said that that body would co-operate with the committee in any manner that might be desired. He also told how the Pingree plan had worked satisfactorily near Englewood, Illinois, where 160 families had been provided for.

The question of appointing a committee to secure offers of land to be used under the Pingree plan was then raised. Several persons spoke in favor of the idea, among them Mayor Thomas, who, at the same time, said that ample lands would be provided, but that it would be necessary to have a committee of one in each ward to follow out the line of work of securing lots for use.

An amendment by Major Woodward making the ward committees consist of two members each was adopted and the following committees were appointed:

First Ward—Mrs. C. H. Redington, J. M. Hanford.

Second Ward—J. N. Hager, Mrs. Dosier.

Third Ward—Dr. Myra Knox, Dr. Sarah Shuey.

Fourth Ward—George Kirk, Mrs. J. M. Cushing.

Fifth Ward—W. I. Reed, Miss Mollie Connors.

Sixth Ward—George B. M. Gray, Mrs. W. A. Jacobs.

Seventh Ward—W. C. Mason, Mrs. L. H. Wakefield.

The appointment of a committee on finance to raise funds with which to purchase seed, tools and provide for other expenses, was, on the suggestion of Mrs. Borland, left to the committee chairmen and the Mayor, who, after the appointment of the same, was to correspond with the appointees and ascertain whether or not they would agree to act.

George Smith then told how he had been given the use of several lots in various parts of the city which he had cultivated and had not only been able to support his family, but had also made some money. He had, he said, raised two crops a year, and there was no place in any part of the world where better crops could be raised than in Oakland.

Chairman Ludlow said that anything could be grown in Oakland. He held up a beautifully polished cane which looked as if made of mahogany. He said he had grown it in his front yard. He did not think there was a cane like it in the world. He thought Mayor Thomas ought to have it. He accordingly handed the cane to the Mayor and asked him to accept it.

Mayor Thomas accepted the gift and said he would try to walk straight with it. The Mayor then told of a visit he had made to the sugar works at Alvarado yesterday, and how sugar was made out of beets without having the beets touched by the hand of a man after they were deposited in the shed. He stated that sugar beet industry would mean $800,000 to the farmers of this county this year.

The question as to what part the Associated Charities is to play in connection with the movement was discussed by Messrs. Eason, Woodward, Thomas, Kirk and Brown, and it was finally decided that the committee would accept any information touching applicants for land, which the charities might possess.

The committee on land will meet next Tuesday night and the next general committee meeting will be held December 2d.

The meeting then adjourned.

CUBANS IN AMERICA FIGHT AT LONG RANGE.

Displeased With McKinley's Views Regarding Autonomy.

The Beau Ideal of the Chivalry of Spain Said to Be Weyler.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

NEW YORK, Nov. 20.—Discussing a dispatch from Washington stating that President McKinley's policy would be to urge the Cubans to accept autonomy, Tomas Estra Palma of the Junta said: "It is a moral impossibility that the President of a great nation like this should, in any way, uphold the hands of Spain and help to crush us in our struggle for liberty. The idea is ridiculous. It cannot be. The Cubans in Cuba and the Cubans in America have the utmost faith in the Administration in Washington."

Fidel G. Pierra said: "The story cannot be true. The President, Secretary of State and the whole Cabinet are too well informed to adopt any such Cuban policy. Such talk is profitless.

"But, whatever happens, we are going to keep on fighting. We did not begin this war with closed eyes. We counted the cost and are prepared for any obstacle. They cannot prevent Cuban independence. They may delay it; that is all.

"We do not reckon so much on Cuba's strength as on Spain's helplessness. As the searchlight is turned on Spain, people all over the world are coming more and more to realize what sort of a country Spain is. The incarnation of Spanish pride and glory, the type of the Spanish hero, is General Weyler.

"Spain does not intend to give autonomy today any more than she did three years ago. The Cabinet meeting at which the so-called autonomy programme was to be finally decided on was set for last Monday. That morning Senor Moret became suddenly and mysteriously ill. The meeting was indefinitely postponed, and autonomy was postponed with it."

Mardi Gras Masquerade, Germania Hall, Wednesday evening, November 24.

ALAMEDA NEWS.

Damage Wrought by a Loose Telephone Wire Yesterday Morning.

ALAMEDA, Nov. 20.—Early yesterday morning a private line telephone wire fell across the trolley wire at the intersection of Broadway and San Jose avenue, and caused considerable injury to three horses which came in contact with it. The first horse belonged to John Wilhelm, a paper carrier. He was proceeding quickly down the street when the horse suddenly fell over and Wilhelm was thrown to the ground. Shortly after, Charles Neams came along and met with the same disaster, his horse being thrown twice. The harness of both horses was broken, and the carts also broken and burned by the current. At 7 o'clock a horse driven by an Angel Bakery man was thrown to the ground. The City Electrician and the Sunset Telephone Company were notified, and after an hour's delay the damage was repaired.

A plan to have sidewalks in the future of a chocolate hue will be presented by Trustee Schulte at the next meeting of the Board. Mr. Schulte thinks the durability of the sidewalks will be thus increased and a much more pleasant effect for the eyes obtained.

Company G, N. G. C., gave its annual ball last night at Armory Hall. It was a very successful affair. Captain Simpson was floor manager. The floor committee included E. R. McDonnell, E. M. Whalley, V. M. Green, I. H. Wittich, H. E. Harvey, A. P. Smiley. The reception committee was composed of F. C. Browning, J. M. Fasten, J. W. Hardiman and C. A. Loring.

The Bimetallic Club will give its anniversary banquet at the Park Hotel tonight. Several noted speakers will be present.

Mrs. Emma W. Shattuck has returned from a six months' visit in the East and will make her home with her sister, Mrs. Abbott of 1718 Alameda avenue.

Mountain Climbing.

Professor Joseph Le Conte Jr. entertained the Starr King Fraternity last evening with a lecture on mountain climbing in California. The views were very fine, showing the scenery at the head of the Kings and Kern rivers.

CASTORIA.

The facsimile signature of *Chas. H. Fletcher* is on every wrapper.

A CRUSADE FOR CLEAN STREETS.

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Clean City Committee of the Oakland Improvement Club.

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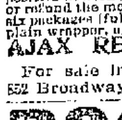

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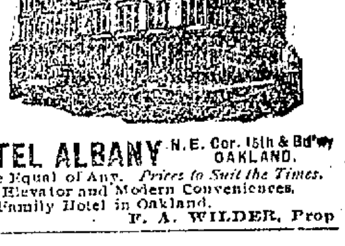

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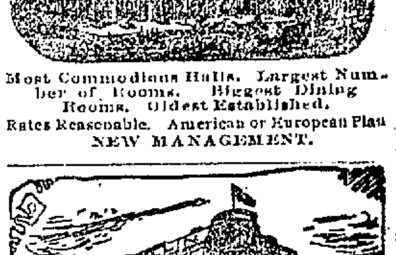

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STATE OFFICIALS ALL BUSY.

White Invited by Tammany to Open Offices in New York.

PLANS OF THE POLITICIANS.

Arthur Feldler of Livermore a Candidate for Public Administrator.

(Special to the Tribune.)

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 20.—The political atmosphere is thickening. Presumably on the theory of the more the merrier, candidates continue to spring up in endless variety for every available position and it begins to look as if nearly every politician in the State wants an office of some description. The most important move in this regard during the week has been the launching of a Gubernatorial boom for J. C. Campbell. That he is absolutely a candidate and will make a fight for the nomination is now thoroughly assured, for whatever wavering there may have been as to whether or not he would join the fray has been dismissed and he will be out for blood from this time on.

Campbell is recognized as a formidable opponent by everybody. He is a member of the law firm of Reddy, Campbell & Metson and has been prominent in the State both socially and politically for very many years. Although he has taken an active interest in all things political right along, he has by pressure of business been confined to his office more than the average politician for a long time past, though from now on he will lose no opportunity to let every one know that he is in the arena. He practices law in San Francisco, but he will probably go before the convention as a candidate from the San Joaquin, for he originally hails from Stockton and will have little difficulty in securing a solid delegation from that part of the State.

The injection of Campbell into the contest makes things lively all along the line and somewhat changes the complexion for some of the other candidates. Where his strength will come from is easy to see. In the first place he will rely on the Republican party to carry him to victory should he secure the nomination. Then again, the firm of which he is a member has long been handling much of the official business of the San Francisco City Hall and also of the State officials, among its clients being Sheriff Whelan. As a third string can be figured the south of Market street element, controlled by Kelly and Crimmins, which, if it does not go to Barnes, can be easily lined up for Campbell. As another resource, too, there is his personality, for he is a fluent orator and can make a good impression in a canvass throughout the State.

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In addition to Campbell, the week has also brought out the name of ex-Senator Felton as a Gubernatorial candidate. The fact that Felton's name is also being used as a possible aspirant for Senatorial honors does not prevent its coming up in this connection, for it is positively stated that if he sees his way clear to the Gubernatorial nomination he will take it in preference to having to go to the trouble of putting up legislative delegations in his behalf in connection with the Senatorial issue. As Felton is a very wealthy man, for he can count his money by the millions, his candidacy will doubtless be urged by those who want to see lots of coin in the fight, though there is this to be said about him, he knows the value of a dollar and is not disposed to let go of his cash very readily.

Apart from the names of Campbell and Felton being brought to the front, the developments as regards the other contestants for the chair now occupied by Governor Budd are only about what might be expected at this stage of the campaign. A good deal of letter-writing and circular-sending is being indulged in, the plan adopted by some of the candidates being to send personally signed communications to every voter in their own districts for the purpose of building up a controlling influence at the primaries. Most of those who are in the fray stay at home to conduct their operations, the notable exception to the rule being Senator Flint, who is making a personal canvass all over the State. Although in almost every district he invades outside of his own he finds a local candidate for the very office he seeks he is not dismayed, but works away on the second choice proposition, a system at which he claims he is obtaining excellent results.

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Around the State departments at Sacramento everything is pretty well worked up already, for there are two candidates for Governor among the officials—Controller Colgan and Secretary of State Brown—besides a bevy of aspirants for other places on the State ticket. Colgan insists that he is a bona fide candidate for Governor and continues to peg steadily away on that theory. As, however, there is no one at present in sight who wants the office he now holds, it is thought that his sole idea in making a Gubernatorial fight is to secure enough votes in convention to be able to trade off for strength that will enable him to get the nomination again for his present place. This is a good game to play in one way and a dangerous one in another—good because if he can work up a pretty good backing, it practically insures him his re-nomination as Controller, and dangerous because it takes down the barriers and gives candidates for the Controllership a clear field as far as appearances go. In this way some one might be tempted into the fight who might afterwards prove hard to dislodge in convention. Gubernatorial combinations notwithstanding.

As far as Lou Brown is concerned he seems to be in earnest in his desire to reach the Gubernatorial chair though, whether or not he, like Colgan, is simply seeking leverage to hold him where he is now, is a matter known best to himself. The chances are, that Brown, who is a remarkably astute politician has an eye open for both propositions. He will do his level best and in earnest to be Governor but if he fails in that he will gracefully turn his artillery on the portfolio for Secretary of State once more. A rival candidate for that place is already in the field though for Will Douglass the Deputy State Controller has declared his intention to get the nomination if he can.

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As regards the rest of the State ticket, with the exception of the Attorney-General, every one of the present incumbents is a candidate to succeed himself. State Printer Al Johnson at one time talked of going before the convention as a candidate for Governor presumably on the same lines as those laid out by Colgan and Brown but he abandoned that policy and then for awhile had his eye on being Secretary of State. He has now however decided to let every outside proposition go by the board and he will be satisfied if he can succeed in keeping at the head of the State printing department for another four years. It is not thought that the closing down of his department since the last session of the Legislature will injure his individual chances, for he will make the stand that that course was simply a piece of Democratic politics on the part of Governor Budd.

State Treasurer Levi Radcliffe would also like to take care of the State's cash for another four years though there is one thing that may prevent him from going before the convention. He has been suffering considerably from general ill-health for a long time past and unless he thinks he can physically stand the strain he will retire from the arena.

Superintendent of Schools Sam Black has already started throwing out lines that will anchor him once more in the nice fat berth where he now is. He realizes that he has got a hard fight ahead, for there is no dearth of applicants for his place, one of the most formidable of the throng being P. M. Fisher of Oakland.

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A very interesting condition of affairs exists as regards the succession to the two vacancies that are to occur on the Supreme Court Bench by the expiration of the terms of McFarland and Van Fleet. They both want renomination but the point will be raised that both come from Sacramento and that the two places cannot therefore be possibly given to that town. As against this, it will be advanced that after leaving the Superior Court of Sacramento county, Van Fleet came to San Francisco and established his residence here before going on the Supreme Bench. But even allowing this, the interval was necessarily such a brief one that it will be insisted that he cannot be considered as from any other county but Sacramento.

Should this stand by the opposition hold good, it means a battle royal between McFarland and Van Fleet for one of the nominations. McFarland has served a full term on the bench and Van Fleet only a short one so this point will be urged in the latter's interests. It is pretty hard to say which of the two could control the most votes though it looks as if the influences that are behind Van Fleet could throw the balance of power to him.

That the southern part of the State will get one of the nominations this time seems pretty certain for that section is not directly represented on the bench. Chief Justice Beatty comes from Sacramento, Harrison from San Francisco, Garoutte from Woodland, Temple from Santa Rosa, and Henshaw from Oakland so if there are to be any concessions made on the score of locality, south of Tehachapi will certainly have a powerful claim. They have two other reasons down there as to why they insist they should get one of the places. The first is that they were cheated out of it last election by the defeat of Judge Torrance of San Diego by Jackson Temple, the Democratic candidate and the other is that in the person of Judge Clark of Los Angeles, they have a man in every way fitted for the honors. Clark who is quite a young man, being yet under forty, is serving his third term on the Superior Bench there and apparently has as secure a life tenure of that office as Judge Coffey has of the Probate Department of San Francisco. He was a candidate at the last convention but the political manipulators threw the nomination to Torrance on a trade though they were warned that by so doing they were surely losing one of the places for the Republican party.

It is little wonder that such a keen fight is made for these places on the Supreme Bench. The term is a twelve-year-one with a salary of $6,000 a year in addition to which there is the honor and prestige of being a member of the highest court in the State. When the two places emptied next year are filled there will be no more vacancies until 1903 at which time the terms of Chief Justice Beatty and Justices Harrison and Garoutte will expire.

And now a word or two as to the situation regarding the selection of a United States Senator to succeed Stephen M. White. The papers over here during the past few days have been printing articles speculating as to what White's plans are. From information that is very, very "close to the throne," I think I am in a position to explain exactly what he intends doing. During the approaching Legislative campaign he will do all in his power to secure the return of a Democratic Legislature. He has come to an agreement with Cator and although the Populist leader will not fuse on the proposition of Maguire for Governor, he will raise no objections of that order as regards Legislative candidates. On a first ballot, if sufficient Democratic and fusionists were elected to give a majority in the Legislature, the Populist votes would go to Cator as a complimentary ballot. On the second ballot, though, they would all line up for White who would thus secure a return to the Senate.

Despite all the Republican confidence of being able to sweep the State next year, White stoutly maintains that the Democrats have an excellent chance to win. Of course, it is hard to convince a member of a minority party before election that he has no chance to succeed, but even apart from this naturally-instilled hope White has a confidence that is very pronounced. He thinks that the next few months will bring about a turn of the sentiment which he admits is at the present time Republican, and he believes that by the time election day comes around everything will be tolerably well switched the other way.

And now, supposing the Republicans are in the ascendancy. Under such conditions it is White's intention at the completion of his present Senatorial term to remove to New York. The inducements in that direction are very big, anyhow. Apart from the fact that he is a cousin of Bourke Cochran, he has great prestige among the Tammany hosts and the leaders of that faction have repeatedly urged him to come and dwell among them.

For an ambitious man like White the proposition is a tempting one. He would naturally step into the place vacated by Dave Hill, and in addition to being a Senatorial certainty there sooner or later, he would be far more of a Presidential possibility than he can ever hope to be in California. He has a natural knack of getting along with the members of his party and as he would, of course, be plunged into politics from the very onset, a wide field would be opened for his talents.

From a business standpoint, too, White figures that he would be much better off in New York than out here in the West. His Senatorial experience has made him a National character, for he has not been satisfied with simply getting in the Senate and voting—on the contrary, he has been heard, and forcibly, too, on every question of importance. While it is true that the handsome law practice he abandoned in Los Angeles when he went into the Senate still awaits him, at the same time it is certain that he could command a more extensive business in New York, especially by going there at the direct invitation of Tammany.

The Republican end of the Senatorial situation is much the same as it has been all along. Senator Bulla of Los Angeles, it is said, is not inclined to be sidetracked altogether for Henry Gage, especially as the promised nomination for Congress is by no means assured to him, so he may probably assert himself in that regard more than has been anticipated. Another Los Angeles man, Judge Waldo M. York, has also shied his castor in the ring as a willing successor to White, and Ulysses S. Grant of San Diego is also mentioned for it, so they may possibly get up a Kilkenny cat fight in that part of the State and lose altogether their prospects for the honor.

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By the way, a few weeks ago I mentioned in this correspondence that the selection of a successor to United States District Attorney Knight had been decided on and that Frank L. Coombs of Napa was the man. The item was copied into the San Francisco papers and brought about a denial from what appeared to be official sources. Just why the denial should have been made is hard to see, and I simply mention the matter so as to introduce the fact that Coombs' appointment has been so definitely settled that within the past few days it has been put in writing. That ought to dispose of any further rumors in that regard.

Just a word of Alameda county politics. Arthur Feidler of Livermore is a candidate for Public Administrator to succeed Knight.

HATTON.

Mardi Gras Masquerade, Germania Hall, Wednesday evening, November 24.

After Straw Bondsmen.

Three years ago, when James Philbon was admitted to bail on a charge of picking pockets at the West Oakland pier, his father and mother were accepted as sureties in the sum of $2,000. The young man never appeared for trial, the bond was declared forfeited, but the sureties had disappeared and have not been located since. Frederick Reichert and George W. Lewis were accepted as sureties a few months ago on the bail bond of Joe Call, a Mission San Jose pickpocket. They, too, disappeared. It is now believed their representations of being owners of property in San Francisco were false. District Attorney Snook cannot locate them, else a prosecution would follow.

An English Speaker.

Elder Francis Hope, late of London, England, will speak in the Seventh Day Adventist Church, corner Brush and Twelfth streets, Sunday evening, November 21st, at 7:30 o'clock. Elder Hope is a prominent Bible worker of this denomination, and will have an interesting lecture for his hearers.

Under Examination.

Percy R. Mott and John E. Wing, who made a tour of the Northwest in August, are being examined as to their amateur standing by the racing board of the C. A. C. C. Charges of professionalism have been made against them.

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The Consul at Port au Prince Inquiring Into the Matter.

(Correspondence of Associated Press.)

KINGSTON, Jamaica, November 20.—Alleged details have just been received here from Santo Domingo, the Spanish republic of the West Indies, of the arrest of Arthur Tweedy, late British vice-consul at Port Au Prince, the capital of Hayti, and now British consul at Santo Domingo.

For the past few years, it appears, a Jamaica negro, audacious and vicious, has resided at Santo Domingo and proved a very thorn in the flesh of the authorities, constantly quarreling when in his cups and assaulting anyone who interfered with him. He was constantly in the courts and protected by his consul, was invariably allowed to depart in triumph, "without a stain upon his character."

Quite recently, it seems, this bellicose individual got into trouble with the police, who, instead of taking him to the lockup, gave hom a terrible thrashing and left him lying in the streets for dead. In accordance with his usual custom, the British vice-consul went to the assistance of his colored fellow subject and brought the matter before the chief of the republic, President Heureux. The latter, after thorough consideration of the matter, is said to have remarked in substance to the consul: "You know the character of this man and you know what he deserves. I admit that he has been unduly punished, and I am sorry for it, but I would like to see the last of him and I will give you $5000 to get him out of the country. Pay him the money and let us hear the last of him."

After some little barter, the story continues, the president increased the amount to $6,000, "at the request of the consul," who was apparently looking after the interest of his fellow subject to the best of his ability. The money, it is added, was handed to the consul and the matter considered closed.

Some weeks later, however, it is further stated, the president was driving along the streets of the city and saw the Jamaican negro walking along, dressed in a new suit and smoking a cigar. His excellency ordered his coachman to stop and called the negro to him and then expressed his surprise that he had not left the country after having been paid so large a sum as $6,000. The Jamaican is reported to have replied: "I only received $200."

"Impossible," ejaculated the president, who at once drove to the office of the British consul. There the consul was confronted with the negro, and after some hesitation is said to have admitted that he only paid the man $200, adding: "You have no business to interfere with any arrangements I may make with my countrymen."

The president, it is alleged, simply gasped with astonishment, but without waiting to argue the matter, put his head out of the window and called a couple of policement to arrest Mr. Tweedy, who was promptly taken to jail. His excellency, it appears, then cabled to the foreign office in London, informed them of his action, and, shortly afterwards, received a reply stating that he had done quite right, adding that they had cabled to Port au Prince for the British consul to Hayti to at once proceed to Santo Domingo in order to investigate the matter. The latest advices are that the investigation is now in progress.

FOOTBALL ECHOES.

Line-Up of the Berkeley Eleven for the Inter-collegiate Game.

As the day for the great intercollegiate football game draws near, the coaches are making a number of changes in the teams. A report comes from Del Monte that Pringle has been dropped from the team, and that Whipple has been put in his place at right tackle, Craig taking Whipple's place at end. Coach Nott, however, has given out the following line-up for Thanksgiving Day:

Center rush—J. T. McDermott, weight 185, height 5:10.

Right guard—Mathias J. Mayer, weight 171, height 6:01.

Left guard—John W. Barnes, weight 170, height 6.00.

Right tackle—Chas. A. Pringle, weight 175, height 6:00.

Left tackle—Frank W. Simpson, weight 180, height 5:11½.

Right end—James R. Whipple, weight 162, height 5:10½.

Left end—James Hopper, weight 140, height 5:5.

Quarterback—Robert Haskell, weight 135, height 5:5.

Left half—Fred J. Griesberg, weight 185, height 5:11½.

Right half—Randall H. Ludlow, weight 180, height 6:01.

Fullback—Captain Percy Hall, weight 161, height 5:10½.

Substitutes for the line—Castlehun, Dickson and Craig. For the backs—Kaarsberg and Thane for both half and quarter.

Barring accidents, the foregoing will probably be the line-up, notwithstanding reports to the contrary.

The Stanford eleven is at present at Congress Springs.

For Fabiola Hospital.

The lecture at the Macdonough Wednesday evening, by Rev. P. C. Yorke, for the benefit of Fabiola Hospital, promises to be an event in social as well as charity circles. Fabiola is celebrating its twentieth anniversary, and the significance of this announcement is apparent to those who have known its splendid work throughout its career. A musical programme will supplement the lecture, the subject of which will be "Gesta Christi—The Works of Christ."

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The Reliance Club promises one of the most interesting evenings of sport that the local patrons of the prize ring have had an opportunity to witness for a long time. Monday evening it will give a big boxing tournament, with three eight-round contests for decisions as the main events. As usual, several clever preliminaries have been arranged by the management.

The first of the main events will be a go between Savage, the Vallejo boy, and Jim Reilly, whose wonderful punching ability has been witnessed a number of times at the club.

Jack Williamson, the wrestler, who also knows a thing or two about boxing, will face Phil McGoldrick of the track, and Charlie Tye, formerly of the Acme Club, but now of Reliance, will fight Lewis, the colored bruiser. Lewis is a clever man, and it is expected that he will give Tye a hard fight. The latter is a great favorite with Oakland audiences, and it is expected that he will show up in his usual form.

CALIFORNIA CLUBS VICTORIOUS AGAIN.

Will Be Recognized by Cyclers in Australia and Canada.

The League of American Wheelmen Losing Prestige in Foreign Countries.

The war between the California Association of Cycling Clubs and the League of American Wheelmen is slowly drawing to a close, with the former organization in the lead. The greatest victories of the California Association is the recognition it has received from the Australian and Canadian wheelmen.

The following letter has been received from Secretary Fred Hawley of the League of New South Wales wheelmen:

"The Executive Committee, League of New South Wales Wheelmen, has adopted a resolution to the effect that it will accept entries from any American riders of good standing in the California Associated Cycling Clubs. Though we have no Sunday racing in Australia, being fortunate in having the Saturday half-holiday and eight-hour law generally observed, we can understand that in your part of the world where you have no such concession that a different observance of Sunday may obtain. We have had a number of English and French racing men here, and of course we are aware that they have raced on Sunday in France. We will be glad to receive the American riders, who would find plenty of racing until April next in the various colonies. I wish your association every prosperity, and assure a hearty welcome to any of your riders who decide to visit us."

President George H. Orr of the Canadian Wheelmen's Association recently visited this coast. When he returned to Canada he made the following report to his organization:

"I found that San Francisco was the headquarters of the California Associated Cycling Clubs, and also found the officers to be really clever and capable young men, who had every confidence in the success and permanency of their organization. Insomuch as the League of American Wheelmen has blacklisted nearly every track in Northern California and in other portions of the Coast, they have, in a manner, crippled themselves for holding race-meets. In that portion of the Coast I find that the California Associated Clubs are the only power controlling bicycle racing. I find that they have the almost entire sympathy and support of the newspapers. The League has steadily been losing members, and does not appear to have worried itself about the racing game at all, nor has any endeavor been made to revive it. Even in their other matters they are at a very low ebb, and their divisional elections were not held this year on account of no quorum being raised. I found the League officers very kind and courteous, and am indebted to Mr. Strong, the chief consul, for his attention to me; also to A. P. Swain, Charles Albert Adams and Robert M. Welch for attention and information regarding the California Association.

"I would sum the whole matter up briefly: If the League does not indicate at an early date that it is its intention to actively assume a campaign on the Pacific Coast or treat with the California Association whereby the many riders whom they have suspended and thus prevented coming into Canada can be reinstated, then I would advocate recognition of the Association.

"I think it would be distinctly to the benefit of our Association to do so, for the reason that the whole Coast, United States and Canada is so far removed from the East and its bicycle racing circuits that it would give our coast divisions an opportunity of bringing in their neighbors and swell their gate receipts. Affiliated as we are with the International Cyclist Association, an organization composed of associations, some of whom allow Sunday racing, I can see no reason why the California Association should not be recognized."

HARD AT WORK.

The Volunteers Are Making Great Preparations for the Dinner.

The Volunteers are working hard in order to raise a fund sufficiently large to enable them to prepare a feast big enough so that an invitation can be extended to all the poor and needy of Oakland to partake of it on Thanksgiving Day. To do this, they must be supported by the public, whose generosity is appealed to. Contributions of cash, or of supplies for the dinner, such as groceries, fruits, or meats, or turkeys and chickens will be very gratefully received. Wood and coal are also solicited. They may be left at the headquarters, Eighth and Broadway, where Captain Anderson is in charge with an efficient corps of workers. Help in the way of cooks and waiters will also be appreciated.

COWED THE RIOTERS.

Soldiers at Jamaica Break Out of the General Barracks.

CITIZENS BASELY ASSAULTED.

Parade Gardens Cleared and Great Damage Done to Trees.

DARING DEED OF OFFICER BUCK

Rides Into the Mob and Puts the Most Violent Under Arrest.

(Correspondence of Associated Press.)

KINGSTON, Jamaica, Nov. 20.—The black soldiers of the first battalion, West India regiment, broke barracks on November 4th, and proceeding to this city, assaulted every citizen and policeman with whom they came in contact, the police in particular suffering. About 150 of the men gathered in the parade gardens, belonging to the government and played havoc with the trees. They cleared the gardens of visitors, chasing them with sticks. Others went into the Zollas market and ransacked stores. The military authorities were telephoned to and a picket of 200 men under a white officer named Buck were sent to the scene. The officer galloped away from his men, and riding full speed down the parade gardens, a distance of two miles, ran his horse right into the center of the rioters. Before they could recover from their surprise he ordered them to fall into line, and snatching the caps from a couple of the worst, shouted "You are all right." Some thirty were obedient to the word of command and forming these up, the gallant officer proceeded to make prisoners of as many as he could, marching the "repentants" to the market. The officer used them as a picket and arrested several others. By this time the original provost guard arrived on the scene and were dispatched along the streets, several arrests being made.

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The property recently passed into the hands of Mr. John Spring of San Francisco and the improvements now under way were the result of a conference between Mr. Spring and Mr. A. Wilder. Mr. Wilder has been associated with the house as Lessee and proprietor for over five years, and his name is a familiar one with the travelling public all over the Coast.

The improvements, summarized in a sentence, will include the construction of a modern electric elevator, very much speedier than the present lift; the removal of the main dining hall to the second floor, as at the Baldwin, and the considerable enlargement of it; the construction of baths adjuncts to every suite; the placing of hot and cold water in all the rooms; the frescoeing and papering of the house; and finally the construction of a broad and modern entrance to the place introduced by a lobby of attractive size, and the enlargement of the present office, and guest rooms. Needless to say, the cuisine of the hotel will still be good as ever; and that is better than the best in this city. And with the completion of the projected changes and improvements, the Albany will magnify its prestige and emphasize its claims for patronage upon a basis of superior merit entirely.

No Quorum.

The Municipal Improvement Club, which was to have met in the rooms of the Merchants' Exchange last night, had no quorum, consequently no meeting was held.

There is more Catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases put together, and until the last few years was supposed to be incurable. For a great many years doctors pronounced it a local disease, and prescribed local remedies, and by constantly failing to cure with local treatment, pronounced it incurable. Science has proven catarrh to be a constitutional disease, and therefore requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is the only constitutional cure on the market. It is taken internally in doses from 10 drops to a teaspoonful. It acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. They offer one hundred dollars for any case it fails to cure. Send for circulars and testimonials. Address,

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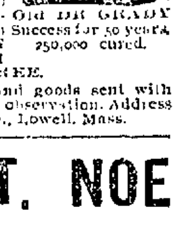

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LAND OF THE BRITON

The Dog Muzzle Becomes a Vexed Political Question.

CAUSES DEFEAT OF CANDIDATES

New Woman at Length Found Among the Highest Aristocracy.

"CONVERSION OF ENGLAND."

A New Church Play Which Is Declared to Be Uninteresting.

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LONDON, Nov. 20—The dog-muzzle is admittedly playing a very important part in the politics of Great Britain, the discontent of dog owners at the rigorous muzzling orders, which have now been two years in force, having raised the muzzle to the dignity of a grave political question. There is abundant evidence that it influenced the recent bye elections and that it is generally disturbing the peace of the ministers. The Marquis of Salisbury, during the course of his speech at the Albert Hall on Tuesday last, admitted this in his usual cynical style, and on Thursday night, the minister of agriculture, Walter Long, speaking at a large political meeting, devoted his entire speech to a defense of his position. He quoted statistics showing the rapid decrease of rabies since the introduction of the order. In 1895, he said, there were 60 cases of rabies in England, adding that in 1897 there were only 141 cases, while of these only fifty-one have occurred since June.

The continued fine, mild weather has added to the enjoyment of the country house parties, which are now in full swing in all parts of England.

The autumn has developed two fresh specimens of the "new woman" among the aristocracy. Lady Gifford is personally handing a pack of harriers regularly, while the Duchess of Bedford has established her reputation as a first-class shot and, in Bedfordshire, knocks over high-rocketing pheasants with the best shots among the men.

The store-keepers of London are in arms over the visit of the Prince of Wales, their best patron, to a large department store this week. The heir apparent carefully inspected the establishment and made numerous purchases.

The joy caused among the charitable institutions last week by the probating of the will of the late John Thomas Morton, a big jam and provision exporter, who left £500,000 to charity to the exclusion of his heirs, had a curious setback in the case of the Moravian church missions, whose bequest of £250,000 promises to be a white elephant of the most formidable and costly kind. The secretary of the missions has published a letter appealing to the friends of the organization to cease their congratulations, explaining that while the money bequeathed will not be available for a long time, when it is actually paid not a penny is to be devoted to the existing missions, but is to be spent in establishing entirely new enterprises. In other words, the unfortunate legatees have been saddled with an obligation to apply the immense sum exclusively to the establishment of missionary undertakings which they will not have the means to support.

The Lord Mayor of London, Horatio David Davies, has declined the offer of David Sellar, chairman of the London Tramway Company, who offered to present the corporation of London with the nucleus of an art gallery. Mr. Sellar's contribution consisted of about 200 old Dutch, Italian and English pictures. The declination of the Lord Mayor is owing to the "varied character of the works." But it is an open secret that the alleged Gainsboroughs, Constables, and other old masters, after examination by experts, have been found to be hardly of the character to form the groundwork of the city of London Art Gallery.

An episode of peculiar interest was the enactment of the clergymen, on Wednesday last, in Canterbury Hall, of the first church play in recent years. It was entitled, "The Conversion of England," was written by the Rev. Henry Cresswell, and was really a succession of ten historical tableaux, with the dialogue in a stilted, heroic strain, to the accompaniment of sacred music, the scenes included a Roman market, where English slaves attracted Pope Gregory's attention; meeting between Pope Gregory and the monks with King Ethelbert on the Isle of Thanet and King Ethelbert's baptism at Canterbury. The central figure of the production is St. Augustine. The costumes, scenery, and chants were historically accurate, being the result of researches in the museums of London, Dresden and Stockholm. The play is described as a "dreary entertainment."

There are only four of the London theaters whose doors are not opened, although the season is hardly under way, and two of the four will be filled early in next month. Yet hardly more than half of the thirty playhouses are paying their running expenses. Various theories are advanced for the failure of the London theaters to pay, the most credited one being that the increase of suburban playhouses in keeping suburban playgoers at home. Another factor which unquestionably counts is the price charged for seats, costs ten shillings 2,5(s rhusseold.zYob An orchestra stall in a London theater costs ten shillings ($2.50), while other seats are correspondingly high. Yet no theater can cut the rates without losing caste.

The most noteworthy success among the money-making minority is The Geisha, which, after a two years' run at Daly's Theater, gives no sign of lessening popularity, while among the newer native ventures, The White Heather, a most sensational melodrama; Henry Arthur Jones' comedy, The Liars; Henry Osmond's comedy, One Summer's Day; and Carlton's play The Tree of Knowledge, with George Alexander and Julia Nielsson as the stars, are centers of interest for the fashionable world. And strange to say, Hamlet must be included in the list of drawing plays for Forbes Robertson has apparently succeeded where many others have failed.

There has been much speculation as to how the American singer, Marie Engel, would be received at the Royal Opera-House, Madrid, in view of the present tension between Spain and the United States; but, according to a dispatch from Madrid the appearance of Mme. Engel on Tuesday as Ophelia in Ambroise Thomas' Hamlet, was very successful. She was greeted with several recalls and the press notices of her appearance were favorable.

WITH THE WITS.

He swore.—"I'm in eternal disgrace up at the Slaters'."

"What's the trouble?"

"Daphne Slater left her new hat in a chair and I sat on it."

"Ruin the hat?"

"Oh, I don't mind that so much, but she'd left her hat pin in it!"—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

A Thrifty Man.—Three men walked into a Louisville drug store the other day and one ordered drinks. He and one of the others asked for soda water, and then the clerk turned to the third.

"What will you have, sir?"

"You know I don't like soda, John."

Then, turning to the clerk, he said:

"Give him five postal cards."—Louisville Post.

Dressing—"I don't know as his any of my business," remarked the boarder whose silence usually became ominous after two minutes, "but I don't like the way our new cook's hair is dressed."

"Ah!" rejoined the landlady, her apprehension but thinly clothed under the affection of gayety, "what would you suggest?"

"Oh, say a mayonnaise or something of that sort, you know."—Detroit Journal.

Her Age.—The Solicitor—Yes, madam, we shall have to put down your correct age in the deed.

Client—Put it down, then, if you must have it, but for goodness' sake write it as illegible as possible.—London Tit-Bits.

Connubial Concord.—Mrs. Scrappe—My husband and I agreed the day we were married to have no quarrels.

Friend.—Have you lived up to it?

Mrs. Scrappe—Well, I have, but I don't think anything could keep John from being ugly at times.—Philadelphia North American.

Making Progress.—"So you proposed to her," said Willie Wishington's friend.

"Yes."

"Did she give you any encouragement?"

"Some. She didn't laugh."—Washington Star.

Professional Amenities.—First Soubrette—Perhaps you would not believe me if I were to tell you that a man killed himself for love of me.

Second Soubrette—Indeed I would. Men used to do that sort of thing in the old days of chivalry.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

Reason to Be Thankful.—Minister (to elderly female crofter)—I'm sorry to hear your potatoes are very bad this year, Janet.

"Deed they are, sir, but I've reason to be thankfu' to Providence that other folks are as badly off as mysel'."—London Tit-Bits.

More Than He Could Stand.—"How about that walking delegate walking out of the church Sunday right in the middle of the sermon? Had he got so in the habit of walking that he did it automatically?"

"Nah. The preacher happened to say something about observing the Biblical injunctions."—Indianapolis Journal.

Something Geometrical.—"Biggins is a great fisherman, isn't he?"

"Yes."

"Seems a little obtuse on other subjects."

"Yes, he's an obtuse angler."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Her Criticism.—Mistress—Well, Norah, how did you enjoy the scenery?

Norah (who has just returned from a week's outing on the Maine coast)—To spake plainly, mum, th' scenery's not so illigant as it looks.—Judge.

He Was No Fool.—He—Did you hear about that Pennsylvania woman who sued a man for $1000 for a kiss?

She—What a homely creature she must be.

He—Homely? Why so?

She—Oh, of course, she just sued because she wanted to advertise the fact that somebody had summoned up courage enough to do it, and not because she was mad.

Then he proceeded to take a bunch.—Cleveland Leader.

Making Both Ends Meet.—The sandwich man makes both ends meet by making both ends bread, and putting the meat in the middle.—Somerville Journal.

It Might Be So Called.—"It is not allowed to members of the cloth to be superstitious," said the good minister, "yet it may be deemed a curious coincidence that out of eighteen couples I have joined in matrimony in this study fifteen have been divorced."

"Why don't you hang out a sign, 'Bargains in Misfits?'" asked his old school friend.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

The Human Watch.—A little girl of my acquaintance, whose father is a physician, is given to making bright remarks. And she does it in the most naive fashion, with supreme unconsciousness. The other day her father held her ear to a patient's heart, and the maiden exclaimed with glee: "Oh, hear him tick! is that his mainspring, papa?"—Syracuse Post.

Her Poor Husband.—"Yes," sighed the model wife, as she sat in her chair at 11 P. M. sewing on her husband's clothing, it is well enough for me; mine is an easy lot. But there is my poor husband at this moment working like a navvy on his wheel, and perspiring like a stoker in the hold of an Atlantic liner."—Boston Transcript.

It Is Unreasonable.

To think the more a man eats the fatter and stronger he becomes.

To think the more hours children study at school the faster they learn.

To act on the presumption that the smallest room in the house is large enough to sleep in.

To commit an act which is felt in itself to be prejudicial, hoping that somehow or other it may be done in your case with impunity.

To eat a hearty supper for the pleasure experienced during the brief time it is passing down the throat, at the expense of a whole night of disturbed sleep and a weary waking in the morning.—The Doctor.

OVER THE FOOTLIGHTS

"Lost, Strayed, or Stolen" Seen at the Macdonough Theater.

THE HOYTS COMING NEXT WEEK

"A Trip to Chinatown" Will Be Presented by the Company.

PRETTY OPERA AT THE OAKLAND

"Pirates of Penzance" Is the Valerga Company's Bill.

The Macdonough was well filled last night when "Lost, Strayed or Stolen" was given for the first time. It is exceedingly bright, clever, and vivacious as a play should be that represents French life.

A musical comedy does not convey an idea of a comic opera company; but "Lost, Strayed or Stolen" must be about as expensive an enterprise to transport as any of the comic operas we have seen from the East. It is a clever and highly diverting French farce which J. Cheever Goodwin has shaped in spirited fashion for the American stage, retaining all the lively movements and the amusing characterizations and fitting in some most appropriate and stirring music which last night drew deserved encores quite frequently. The plot is the wild French humor which makes the really absurd appear to be natural and convincing. It is in four acts, and each of the four acts introduces a new scene and new characters, the florist Bidart and the three godfathers being the victims of the mischances that befall in the search for the lost baby. The dialogue is bright and quick with a great many clever lines. The music of Woolson Morse carries out the situations all through, enlivening very much an already lively piece.

The performance is full of spirit and everybody played with enthusiasm. The leading roles are all excellently done, the French volatility being exceptionally well displayed even by the chorus. There is a good deal of dancing in which frigole and black stockings are visible without offending the eye and the chorus singing accompaniments the vivacity of the kicking is effective time.

Charles Dickson is an easy and natural light comedian whom we know very well. He fills the part of Bidart with animation and appreciation of the humor of the French author, with a touch of Cheever Goodwin Americanization that still seems appropriate. He sings a song in the first act as well as it could be sung and is at home in the music as well as the action. The three godfathers are also most amusingly played and quite a notable performance is Lucius Henderson's wild Cuban. Mr. Henderson is a very versatile young man and this is a new light to see him in after his appearance in Milton Royle's play "Friends." The ladies of the company are attractive too. Oriska Worden has a chic that is, if not quite, almost French. She has a bright and vivacious face and personal magnetism and she puts plenty of spirit into the part of the godmother. Anna O'Keefe does and makes much of the third act. As piquant a little performance as any seen lately is Mabel Bouton's French maid. The chorus girls are all more or less pretty. The programme sets the chorus down as "ladies and gentlemen without visible means of support" and the first number leaves no doubt that the girls have visible means of support and they are generally shapely. "Lost, Strayed or Stolen" is a pleasant, merry evening's entertainment.

The comedy will be repeated tonight.

IN "LOST, STRAYED OR STOLEN."

THE HOYTS COMING.

Next week will be one of merriment at the Macdonough as the attraction announced is nothing less than Charles H. Hoyt's master comedy, "A Trip to Chinatown." Frank Lane and an excellent company, direct from Hoyt's Theater, New York, will present the play, introducing a number of new and catchy musical numbers that are sure to set the town whistling and humming for weeks after "Chinatown's" engagement here is ended. John V. Bratton, author of the popular ballads, "Only Me," "The Sunshine of Paradise Alley" and a number of other very catchy songs, is the musical leader of "A Trip to Chinatown" company, and many of the new and taking numbers that are introduced to the public by the artists in "Chinatown" are from the pen of Mr. Bratton. The scenery is new, as are also the beautiful costumes, and the stage effects will be exceedingly brilliant. A very clever performance is assured. "A Trip to Chinatown" will run for two nights, beginning Monday, November 22nd.

SPIRITUALISM.

Sunday evening the wonderful spiritualistic medium, Dr. Loyd Cooke, who has left a trail of wonder behind him in his travels from East to West, will appear at the Macdonough. The seances are given in the open light instead of in the dark, which makes his performances doubly wonderful.

Such eminent scientists as Professors Crookes, Sargent, Cox, Tyndall, Huxley, and other, have proclaimed the idealisms presented by him to be an astonishing fact. Dr. Cooke's open seance was presented by him before the leading scientific societies of England, Austria, Germany and France. Mr. Cooke was submitted to the most critical test conditions. A table rises and floats in the air, flowers are brought to the audience by invisible hands, slate writing, questions written and returned by the interrogators will receive full and intelligent answers.

THE OAKLAND.

The Valerga Company will present "Pirates of Penzance" at the Oakland next week, beginning Monday. This bright and stirring opera is from the pen of Gilbert and Sullivan, whose work in this line is well known. The Valerga Company has appeared to such good advantage during its engagement of several weeks in this city that a full house may be looked forward to for "The Pirates of Penzance."

Miss Gooch and Miss Merrill, Mr. Valerga, Mr. Smith and the others who achieved such distinction last week and the week before will take the leading parts in the "Pirates" as in the other operas.

THE BALDWIN.

The attraction at the Baldwin this week has been the exceedingly amusing extravaganza, "In Gay New York." It has drawn immense houses during its run at the Baldwin which will conclude to-morrow evening. The extremely funny situations, the brilliant scenery and the stage effects, combined with a large cast of players has made a great hit. There is not so much of the element of a play in "Gay New York," but the jokes, the music, the chorus, and the costumes combine in making it full of dash and fun.

THE CALIFORNIA.

The opera season at the California is proving very successful. The Italian Grand Opera Company has been very well received. At to-day's matinee, "Traviata" is being given. Monday evening, "Manon Lescaut," by the composer of "La Boheme" will be given here for the first time. To-night "La Boheme" will be the attraction.

THE COLUMBIA.

"In Old Kentucky" is attaining great success at the Columbia which proves that the popularity of this old play is by no means on the wane. A Thanksgiving matinee will be given. The leading roles are very well played by Allie Warner as Madge, Helen Huntington as Barbara Helton, Frank Dayton and George R. Caine. Louis James will soon appear at this theater.

THE ORPHEUM

A number of special features are the amusements offered at the Orpheum. The one thing more than another which finds favor in the eyes of the audience are Morris' trained parrots, whose clever tricks show how thorough and careful their training has been. The new comedians are also winning much favor.

THE ALCAZAR.

"Our Regiment" has enjoyed a successful run at this popular theater this week. The play is taken from the same source as that of Augustin Daly's "The Passing Regiment." The cast is carrying it out very gracefully. The attraction for next Monday night is "Incog."

GRAND OPERA HOUSE.

"A Celebrated Case" has been the attraction at the Grand Opera House this week. It has been well played and has attracted good houses. There will be matinees to-day and to-morrow.

THE TIVOLI.

"The Geisha" at the Tivoli presents a very attractive phase of Japanese life. The comedy is acted by a very fine cast. The scenery is very pretty and effective. The costumes are light and dainty.

How to Make Good Coffee.

If there is one particular branch of the culinary art in which the average housekeeper prides herself, it is in her ability to make good coffee. As far as compounding the favorite breakfast beverage is concerned, she nine times out of ten does not delude herself, but ask any man who is the least bit of a bon viveur, and he will tell you that not one woman in a hundred can make after dinner coffee that is fit to drink. The coffee that is set before him at the family table is as different from the clear, brown black stimulating liquid that is served in the clubs, restaurants and big hotels as is water from wine. He wonders why this should be, but, were he to pay a visit to the precincts sacred to the stewards of our large hotels, and there learn just how much time, care and money is devoted to the preparation of this one concomitant of a well served dinner, his respect for the housewife's efforts would probably increase, while his enjoyment of the post prandial nectar would doubtless be augmented.

One of the most important officials in every large hotel and restaurant in the city is known as the "coffee man." His sole duty consists in buying, blending and making the gallons of coffee that are consumed daily by the guests. He is very apt to have pronounced ideas regarding blends and mixtures, but the bad par excellence is the particular kind of coffee pot or urn to be used in concocting the beverage.

The views of the Waldorf coffee man differ from those of the superintendent of the Imperial; at the Fifth Avenue another blend and another mode of compounding are adopted, while at the Arena the method of coffee making is peculiarly their own. At the Waldorf the blend favored for breakfast coffee is two-thirds of a pound of Mocha to one-third of Java. The Waldorf coffee man does not favor coffee that is finely ground, but soaks it in cold water for a full hour before it is put in the large sieves of the countless huge silver urns of the establishment. For breakfast he uses about one pound of coffee to five quarts of water; this is poured through the selve and strainers, which are arranged in the urns in the regulation French coffee pot fashion, four times. The result is a clear, amber colored liquid, of excellent flavor and strength.

For the after dinner coffee he prefers a blend that is composed of rather more Java than Mocha, and but four quarts of water are allowed to the pound. The process of making is the same.

At the Arena coffee is made on the tables in Viennese coffee pots, by what is known as the steaming process. There the mixture consists of equal parts of Mocha and Java. About one ounce is allowed to each individual pot. The pots themselves are quaint looking affairs of hammered brass, porcelain lined and with glass tops. Underneath is swung a small spirit lamp. In the body of the pot is placed a sufficient quantity of cold water, while the allotted ounce of Mocha and Java is put, perfectly dry and very finely ground, in the glass top. When the water boils the steam slowly ascends through a tube, and as it permeates the dry coffee, drop by drop the pure coffee essence falls into a receiver, with the result that a perfectly pure, full flavored coffee of the fullest strength is obtained. This process is also used by many of the quaint restaurants affected by the foreign element, but the coffee used is the strong black blend popularly known as Turkish. Russian coffee is also made in the Viennese pots. The mixture consists of equal parts of Rio, Mocha and Java, to which has been added a tablespoonful of dark brown sugar, a tablespoonful of rum, and a liqueur glass of kummel.

At both the Imperial and the Fifth Avenue the Mocha and Java mixture is favored, but at these hotels both French and Viennese pots are labored, and the old fashioned method of straining the coffee through a flannel bag prevails.—New York Times.

RAILWAYS IN CHINA.

An Era of Development in the Great Mongolian Empire.

With the exception of the line between Shanghai and Woosung, referred to by Sir Nicholas Hannen, Consul General at Shanghai, in his trade report of 1896, Mr. Grosvenor of the Pekin Legation says the only railway which, until last year, had existed in the whole vast extent of the Chinese empire is the line connecting Taku, Tient-sin and Shan-hai Kuan, some 260 miles in extent. The statement made by the grand secretary, Li Hung Chang, on the occasion of his visit to London in August last, that "what China wanted was more railways" was therefore amply justified by the facts.

The year 1896, however, witnessed a real advance in the direction of opening up the country by means of railways. The line connecting Tientsin with the capital had at the close of the year been completed to within thirty miles of Pekin, and at the present moment trains are running to within half an hour's ride of the city gate. A beginning has already been made by the construction of the line from Pekin to Lu Kou Chiao, a distance of some sixteen English miles, this being the first stage of the railway which is to connect the capital with the Yangtze port of Hankow. Sheng Taotai, to whom the arrangements for the construction of the Pekin-Hankow line have been intrusted by the Chinese Government, is endeavoring to raise the necessary capital, which will unquestionably have to be drawn from a foreign source, as the Chinese have proved to be unable or unwilling to subscribe it.

The development of the country by means of railways can have none but beneficial results upon foreign commerce with China, but the adoption of particular Western methods, such as the telegraph, has not hitherto been attended by any revolution in the attitude of the Chinese toward Western ideas or modes of thought, and, in the absence of other indications, it would be easy to exaggerate the importance of the movement in favor of railways as a sign of general progress in this direction. Rapid changes are inconsistent with the Chinese character, and a year is a short space in the life of a nation whose civilization has remained stationary for twenty centuries; but, during the year under review, evidences, such as increased friendliness to foreigners on the part of the educated classes and eager competition among officials for foreign posts, have not been wanting to show that China is beginning to assume a better attitude toward the ideas and institutions of the West.—British Trade Journal.

NOS ALGIA.

All through their lives men build or dream them homes,
Longing for peace and quiet and household love;
All through their lives—though offering hecatombs
To worldly pleasures and the shows thereof.

And at last, life-sick, with still the same
Unconquerable desire within their breast,
They yearn for heaven, and murmur its dear name,
Deeming it, more than mortal homes are, blest.
—Richard Burton in Harper's Magazine.

WITH THE MUSICIANS.

A Decided Success Scored by the Big C. E. Chorus.

ORCHESTRA SHARED HONORS.

Orpheus Club Concert Brought Out a Very Large Attendance.

ILLNESS OF HOMER HENLEY.

General Resume of the Events of the Past and for the Future.

The big concert given at the Macdonough Tuesday evening, by the Oakland end of the C. E. chorus, the Philharmonic orchestra and the soloists, is of course the event of the week. The theater was packed and with a decidedly select audience—musical people as a rule are select. It was an appreciative audience also, came expecting to be pleased and went home thoroughly satisfied.

The concert was a success in every respect and a great variety of music was given for the money. The chorus under the efficient leadership of A. M. Benham, acquitted itself with credit to its leader and to the individual members. The handling of so large a body of singers is no easy task, but Mr. Benham proved the master. The large body of singers modulated tones, swelled passages, and in fact obeyed all the desired effects, intimated by the leader, with a punctuality and precision which was quite remarkable.

The work of the orchestra, conducted by H. J. McCoy, was equally clever. The musicians are artists on their instruments, while the leader has the artistic ability which enables him to handle the orchestra almost to the degree of perfection.

Of the soloists much good can be said. Mrs. Beatrice Priest-Fine always a favorite, again demonstrated her popularity. She sang excellently, though on other occasions she has probably been heard to better advantage. Rhys Thomas, the clever tenor, was well received, but though his numbers were very good, he seemed to lack something, beside being without ability to express the sentiment of his songs and being absolutely unintelligible in his enunciation.

If any scarching criticism were to be given, it might be said that the orchesta was a little too forte at times, for the soloists.

However, McCoy's orchestra should not be criticised, for it certainly is a very clever aggregation of musicians, and with a big chorus in front and above it, is difficult to determine the exact force which should be used. It was not, in fact, a drawback to the singing.

Taking it all in all, the concert was doubly worth the money, and as I have said, the audience left the theater well pleased.

The programme follows:

Overture, "Pique Dame"...Von Suppe
Chorus, "Send Out the Light.....
.....Gounod
Tenor solo, "Sailor's Grave"..Sullivan
Rhys Thomas.
Chorus, "How Lovely Are the Messengers" St. Paul....Mendelssohn
Intermezzo, "Naila" .....Delibes
Inflammatus, "Stabat Mater" ....
Beatrice Priest-Fine and Chorus.

PART II.

Overture, "Bronze Horse," .....Auber
Tenor Solo, "Dream of My Heart"
.....Bevan
Chorus—
(a) "Praise Ye the Father" .Gounod
(b) "The Lord is My Shepherd"—
.....Koschat
Grand March, "Tannhauser"..Wagner
Chorus, Hallelujah, "Messiah".Handel

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Apropos of accompanists and orchestras, it is a deplorable fact that the theater orchestras are disappointments. Not but that they could not be better with the same material, not because sufficient practice and judgment is lacking. Of course, where an orchestra has to read music at sight (as it sometimes has to do with traveling companies) a due amount of consideration can be given, but in the majority of cases, the fault is unpardonable, and theater-goers are bored only too often. How can you blame the men for going out between acts?

Then, too, where the participants in the play indulge in their specialties—sing the songs supposed to be funny—the orchestra plays, in nine cases out of ten, with such music that the singers' voices can hardly be heard beyond the front rows, if there. In many cases it is an act of charity on the part of the orchestra, for the class of vocalists appearing on the stage at present in the popular comedies, would shame a country church choir.

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The Orpheus Club gave a very successful concert Tuesday evening at the First Unitarian Church, in which it was assisted by a number of well known people. The clever soprano, Mme. Genevieve Johnstone Bishop, was the star of the evening, and delighted the large audience with her rendition of Beethoven's "Ah, Perfido," "Sans Foi" (D'Hardelot), "La Minature" (Kate Vanderpool), "Gay Seville," (Chaminade), and an aria from the opera, "Gabriella" by Pizzi. She sang a duet also with Mr. Fellows from Faust, "Penetraitloe il Mio Cor," which reaped applause, both for herself and Mr. Fellows. Mrs. Gertrude Colby, at the piano, created a very favorable impression. Harry J. Fellows and Frank Coffi, tenors, Harry Bretherick, accompanist, also assisted.

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Miss Lucie Relfe Byler sang very charmingly at the entertainment given Monday morning by the Woodmen of the World. She has sang at other entertainments in this city and is becoming quite popular.

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The announcement that Madame Bishop, together with Mrs. Colby and Harry Fellows will repeat the numbers she sang at the last concert, when Scheel will give his concert, is good news to many who were unable to gain admittance at the Unitarian Church Tuesday evening. It is said that her singing in Alameda was somewhat disappointing owing to a cold, which impaired her voice, to some extent and rendered her incapable of rendering the higher notes. Those who did not receive the most favorable impression of the soprano at that time will have an opportunity of receiving a second one which may be lasting because adequate with their anticipations.

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Mrs. Martin Schultz, the soprano of the First Congregational Church, will give a concert at Sherman & Clay's hall, San Francisco, next Tuesday evening. The beautiful voice which every Sunday charms the congregation in Oakland will no doubt entice many across the bay Tuesday evening.

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Mrs. Henri Fairweather of Alameda gave the first of the second series of lectures at the residence of Mrs. W. E. Sharon on Franklin street, Tuesday afternoon. There will be four courses more, comprising the famous composers. The first treated of Wagner and was very entertaining. Mr. Fairweather gave vocal illustrations. The next will be given Tuesday afternoon.

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J. C. Walling has composed a sacred solo, "Take Thy Cross and Follow Jesus," which is very beautiful. It will be sung by Mrs. Walling at the English Lutheran Church tomorrow morning.

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The sudden illness of Homer Henley of San Francisco, is deeply regretted by his many friends. While giving a lesson he was attacked with heart failure, and was for a time in a critical condition. He is improving now, however, and will soon be able to resume his duties.

Mr. Henley has a voice of unusual quality. It is sweet, sympathetic and combines with those qualities, a dramatic force of expression, which doubly adds to his excellent solos. As a teacher he is a marked success, while as a social favorite he is welcomed everywhere.

There is no musician more popular on the coast than Mr. Henley, and the position in the front ranks of soloists which he enjoys, has been won entirely upon merit.

Mr. Henley has a talented brother, Charles, who is an artist on the piano forte.

THE TENOR.

The Duchess of Teck.

There is a great deal more of sincerity in the public panegyrics and lamentations over the death of the Duchess of Teck than these perfunctory expressions usually contain. By dint of tremendous and tireless exertions this good natured, warm hearted mountain of flesh did create for herself a very definite place in the popular affection. Her time was entirely at the disposal of other people. Any charity fair, Dorcas society or philanthropic bazaar could have her for the asking if she had an hour to spare, and the visible physical discomfort this incessant flying about involved greatly enhanced the merit of her industry in the public eye. There was added to this a generous feeling that she had never been treated fairly, either in money matters or otherwise. For most of her life she was kept in what for her was a station of cruel poverty, and to the end her income was probably less than that of nine out of ten of the friends at whose houses she dined. In youth she was, as the Guelph women go, very handsome, and she might have been empress of the French instead of Eugenie, if she had been allowed to accept the Prince President as a suitor. Other great matches on the continent could have been hers, too, but always she was pushed back into Cinderella's part, until the time was past when any reasonable sized slipper would fit her.

In her disappointment she desired to renounce society and the royal privileges by becoming a nurse, but this project Queen Victoria also vetoed. Seven years later, after the Duke of Newcastle married, she met and fell in love with the Duke of Teck, who was considered as the handsomest prince in Europe. Despite occasional slips on the part of the Duke, who was always rather a slave to female charms, they were on the whole a happy couple. About ten years ago they got into serious financial difficulties, and, as both the Queen and the Duke of Cambridge declined to assist them again, the furniture was auctioned in their apartments at Kensington palace. The Teck family then went abroad to retrench at Florence, and it took them some years before they could return to England, as they had only $25,000 a year income. In former days, the Duke, according to common report, was wont to eke out an insufficient income by honoring the dinner parties of the nouveaux riches at a fee of $250. The Duchess' civil list income dies with her, and what her husband and two unmarried sons will live on now is the question on all tongues, though not in any types.

NIEUW AMSTERDAM.

Where nowadays the Battery lies,
New York had just begun,
A new-born babe, to rub its eyes,
In sixteen-sixty-one.
They christened it Nieuw Amsterdam,
Those burghers grave and stately,
And so, with schnapps and smoke and psalm,
Lived on their lives sedately.

Two windmills topped their wooden walls,
On sandhoeys gazing down
On fort and cabbage—plots and all—
The quaintly gabled town;
These flapped their wings and shifted backs,
As ancient scrolls determine,
To scare the savage Hackensacks,
Paumanks and other vermin.

At night the loyal settlers lay
Betwixt their feather beds;
In hose and breeches walked by day,
And smoked and wagged their heads.
No changeful fashions came from France
The vrouwleins to bewilder;
No broad-brimmed burgher spent for chance
His every other guilder.

In petticoats of linsey-red,
And jackets neatly kept,
The vrouws their knitting needles sped
And deftly spun and swept.
Few modern school flirtations then
Set wheels of scandal trundling.
But youths and maidens did their share
Of staid, old-fashioned bundling.
—Exchange.

LITERARY NOTES.

Solly Walter, the well known artist, whose efforts in black and white have delighted Californians for years, has illustrated a unique Chinese calendar for 1898. Mr. Walter has studied the Chinaman, and he 's, from an artists' point of view, and no artist on the coast is better qualified to deal with the subject. A. M. Robertson of San Francisco, is the publisher. A number of the calendars are on exhibition at the store of M. S. Smith & Sons, 1154 Broadway, this city.

Harper's Round Table, which has for years been one of the standard juvenile publications of the country, has been changed from a bright weekly into a monthly magazine for youth, published simultaneously in New York and London. It deserves even greater success than it has experienced in the past.

It would have been difficult to select a more competent author than Mr. Justin McCarthy to write the Story of Gladstone's Life, which is soon to be published by The Macmillan Company. He has not only been an eye witness of many of the Parliamentary events which he describes as a member of the House of Commons for a number of years past, but he has while writing his well known History of Our Own Times given to the period during which Mr. Gladstone has been so prominent, a consideration which is the best possible preparation for his present work.

Mr. Gilbert Parker's new story is to be called "The Battle of the Strong." It is to appear in a serial in the Atlantic Monthly, the first installment in the number of January, 1898. It will be remembered that the Atlantic printed Mr. Parker's successful "Seas of the Mighty."

With Mr. F. Hopkinson Smith's serial Caleb West, now running, and Mrs. Wiggin's Penelope's Progress, the Atlantic is now, and promises to be, particularly rich in good fiction.

A translation of Flammarion's new novel, Lumen, will soon be published in this country by Dodd, Mead & Company. Fifty two-thousand copies of the French original of this book have been sold.

The Christmas Scribner's will contain a poem by Rudyard Kipling for his friend W. Hallett-Phillips, of Washington, a few days before the drowning accident which terminated his life. The poem is called "The Feet of the Young Men," and is a stirring song of the hunting fever, with the refrain:

Send your road is clear before you when the old
Spring-fret comes o'er you,
And the Red Gods call for you!

The complete poetical works of Joaquin Miller, "The Poet of the Sierras," will be published in one large volume December 1, 1897. This volume will contain "Songs of the Sierras," "Songs of Italy," "Songs of the Sunlands," "Songs of the Mexican Seas," "Songs of the Soul," "Classic Shades," etc. The introduction is a unique and masterful plea for the love of nature, and the copious notes are almost an autobiography of the strange, adventurous career of "The Poet of the Sierras" in London, Rome, Mexico, etc. The book is published by the Whitaker & Ray Company, San Francisco, Cal., and George Routledge & Company, London. There is also a limited autograph edition sold by subscription only. The only illustrations in the book are a plate showing the poet at five different periods of his life, and a glimpse of his picturesque home on "The Hights."

The poet is expected to return to his home in a few weeks from the frozen North if he escapes starvation or death from exposure in attempting to reach the open sea from the Klondike. His associate, Harr Wagner, has accepted for him a contract with a Chicago lecture bureau, for a series of lectures in January in America, and later in the year in London.

Dodd, Mead & Company announce a novel by Miss L. Quiller-Couch. It is to be entitled The Spanish Maid. Miss Quiller-Couch is a sister of A. T. Quiller-Couch, whose novels and essays, written over the pseudonym of Q., have placed him well in the front rank of current English writers. It was Q., it will be remembered, who was selected by Stephenson literary executors to complete his unfinished romance of "St. Ives." Miss Quiller-Couch has much of her brother's cleverness and the novel will certainly draw attention to a promising feminine writer.

No more brilliant piece of artistic work in black and white has ever appeared in an American periodical than Christy's double page in Leslie's Weekly, representing the scene in the ballroom at the opening of New York's famous splendid hotel, the new Astoria. There is an accompanying article by John J. a Becket, devoted to a critical review of the decorative paintings in the most palatial of modern carvanseries. The horse show, of course, comes in for a large share of pictorial attention in Leslie's this week, and there is also some interesting reading matter about that great yearly function. "The Regular Cycling Round" is illustrated with a series of photographs that will delight the hearts of the wheeling community. "The Idol's Eye," Sol Smith Russell, Nat Goodwin, Nance O'Neill, Dyna Beumer, and others, embellish the theatrical page. Foreign events are well 'covered" by good selections from the European press. In the literary way the current Leslie's gives a complete short story by Joseph A. Altsheler, entitled "The Moslem's Story;" letters from Paris and London by Harriet Monroe and Caro Lloyd, respectively; and a pretty poem by Madaline S. Bridges.

Joel Chandler Harris cannot be accussed of writing too much. One of his rare short stories will appear in the Christmas Scribner's, and Uncle Primus will be the narrator of it.

Dodd, Mead & Company's letter announcements in the domain of fiction include Flammarion's "Lumen;" "Over the Hills" by Mary Findlater; "The Children of the Sea" by Joseph Conrad, author of "Almayer's Folly;" "The Spanish Maid" by L. Quiller-Couch, and "Bye-Ways of Life" by R. S. Hichens, author of the "Green Carnation." They have also in press G. W. Stevens's letters from the Greeko-Turkish War.

Mr. John Muir will contribute to early numbers of the Atlantic Monthly a series of articles which are likely to become the classic descriptions of first, Great Government Reservations, second, The Yelowstone Park, third, The Yosemite Park, and fourth, The Sequoia Parks.

The Macmillan Company announce the early publication of a romantic novel under the title of The Pride of Jennico, by Agnes and Egerton Castle. The writers of this story have opened a hitherto unworked field in historical romance. They have chosen as a subject an episode in the life of a Catholic English gentleman in the military service during the middle of the last century.

OFFICIAL RECORDS.

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 19, 1897.

DEEDS.

Oct 6, 97—John W & Ella M Harris to E J Davis, Okd, Lot 11 blk G, Revised Map Oakland Hts, $10.

July 1, 97—M K Bell, Maria & Manuel De Ponte, Maria & Manuel Vierra by shff to California Impt Co, Okd, S 3d st 22.92 W Center st W 25 x S 100 being lot 10 blk L or 451, Bay View Hd, $173.

Oct 9, 97—California Impt Co to M K Bell, Okd, Same, $1.

Nov 11, 97—Ernst Guldner to Maggie Guldner, Okd, S Orchard avenue 294.27 E Broadway SW 150 SE 32 SW 49.07 NW 76 NE 199.67 to S Orchard av, th along S line Orchard av 41-6 to beg, Gift.

Dec 13, 90—Daniel & Hannah S Field to Bartlett Doe, Okd Anx, W Piedmont av 200 S Howard st S 100 x W 125, being lot 3 blk 12, Howe tct, $10.

Nov 17, 97—Bertha E Bull wf E P to Nils Jacobson, Bkly, E Spruce st 360 N Vine st N 60 x E 134-7, being lots 7 and 8 blk 1, Resub ptn T M Antisell's Map of Villa Lots, $10.

Sept 28, 95—Mary J Moss, Jessie E & Perry H Ausson, Lulu S & Wm L Taylor to Alice Weed, Bklyn Tp, Lots 3 and 4 blk S, Amended Map Moss tct, $10.

Sept 28, 95—Same to Ida B Weed, Bklyn Tp, Lots 1 and 2 blk S, Same, $10.

Nov 19, 97—Louise H Fallmer to Rudolph F Fallmer, Ala, S Clement av 41-6 E Union st E 41-6 x S 60 blk 58, Town of Encinal, $10.

Nov 16, 97—Geo A & Marion J Norton to Edwin A Welle, Okd, NE W-8th and Chester E 27-6 x N 100 blk 553, $10.

Oct 9, 97—Alfred & Elvina Wood to J L Cavasso, Okd, Beg at a pt on a line parallel with NE bdry line Walsworth 100 acre tct sd parallel line being distant SW from bdry line 165 measured along SE Fairmount av, said bg pt being 158 SE from Fairmount av measured along said parallel line and being S cor ld of Cavasso, th NE 65 SE 6 SW 63.97 NE 12.4 to beg, $10.

Oct 9, 97—Same to A L Hamilton, Okd, Beg at a pt on line parallel with NE bdry line Walsworth 100 acre tct said parallel line being distant SW from said bdry line 100 SE of Fairmount av said pt of beg being 158 SE from Fairmount av and being the S cor ld of Hamilton, th NE 29.3 SE 3.2 SW 28.68 to E cor strip of land of Cavasso, th NW 6 to beg, $10.

Mar 20, 97—Patrick W Riordan to Roman Catholic Arch-Bishop of S F (a religious corptn), Okd Anx, Lot 1 blk 4, Thermal Hill fmly the Howe tct, $10.

Nov 18, 97—Geo & Anna E Lydiksen to Lizzie R Whitton, Bkly, NE Mark st and Kearny av E 135 x N 40 blk 1, Kearny tct, subj to mtge for $1500, $10.

Apr 18, 90—Jos M Shotwell to Minnie P Shotwell, Ala, S Lincoln av 197-4 E Park st E 50 x S 125 blk B, Alameda Station Hd tct, Gift.

Oct 29, 97—Polly S Haile to Chas L Haile, Ala, SW Jefferson st 100 NW Market st NW 35-1 x SW 100, being lot 7 blk 51, $10.

June 27, 96—Fruitvale Land Co to Daniel McCarthy, Bklyn Tp, W Cleveland av 25 N 10th st N 25 x W 120 blk L, Huntington tct, $190.

Nov 12, 97—Timothy Paige, Louis F and Lydia Monteagle to Mary D Schallfuhrer, Bklyn Tp, Lots 20 and 21 blk A, Melrose station tct, $10.

Aug 25, 96—Patrick W Riordan to Roman Catholic Arch-Bishop of S F (a religious corptn), Wash Tp, Lots 7 to 12 blk 81, Town of Alvarado (and 39 other descriptions see below), $10.

Wash Tp entire block 222 Town of Newark.

Okd Anx, S 41st 124 W Grove W 186 S 270 E 20 N 50 E 42 S 50 E 62 N 50 E 62 N 220 to beg.

Okd Anx, N 41st 165 W Grove W 100 x N 275.

Okd, N Seward st 140 W Peralta W 237 N 110 E 80 N 58 E 230 S 60 W 140 S 108 to beg, blk 712.

E Okd, lots 1 to 21 blk 30, San Antonio.

Murray Tp, NW line road leading from Dublin to Mission San Jose 378 NW from center of creek at the bridge as it existed in 1885, th SW 378 feet W 240 feet SW 2.71 chs NW 3.45 chs NE 2.76½ chs NW 210 feet to beg.

Eden Tp, beg at a pt in angle of Walpert st on S side thereof and in a N line of tract of land heretofore sold to John Walpert, th NE 3.63 chs NE 1.70 chs SE 11 chs SW 3.39 chs NW 8.90 chs NW 2.49 chs to beg, ptn Rancho San Lorenzo.

Eden Tp, beg at E bdry line Rancho San Leandro at a stake marked "C C" distant N 26¾ chs from large gate post standing on said line at the point where center line county road from Haywards and San Leandro road to the County Infirmary first strikes said bdry line, th NW 15 chs SW 6 chs SE 10 chs SE 2.50 chs SW 2.70 chs NE 5.31 chs to beg, contg 7.59 acres, ptn San Leandro Rancho.

Eden Tp, beg at a pt on N side of road leading from bridge over Moraga creek to San Leandro within 50 feet of the junction of same with Redwood Creek, th SE 150 yards x NE 100 yards.

Also in Alameda, W corner Chestnut st and San Antonio av NW 216 x SW 100 blk 12 Bartlett tract.

Also in Alameda, N corner Chestnut st and San Antonio av NW 216 x NE 150 blk 9, Same.

Also in Okd, entire block 73.

Also in Murray Tp, S Rose av 451 from SW corner Main st W 100 x S 100 Town of Pleasanton.

Also in Eden Tp, block 19 bded by Davis, Clark, Ward and Carpentier sts, San Leandro.

Eden Tp, SE "D" and 2d sts NE 200 x SE 200, Town of Haywards.

Also in Murray Tp, lots 8 and 9 of Smith & Grant tract, Town of Livermore.

Also in Eden Tp, lots M and N blk 18, San Leandro.

Wash Tp, lot 38 in Tp 5 S R 1 W, Mission San Jose.

Also in Wash Tp, beg at a pt on W line public road leading from Mission San Jose to Warm Springs 1100 feet from the bdry of McClure & Melsser Ranch, th N 250 ft W 871.20 feet S 250 E 871.20 to beg.

Also in Berkeley, SW Addison and St. Joseph's sts S 447.65 to pt on S bank Strawberry Creek as it existed in 1877, th along S bank of said creek 30.38 ft to post set in S bank of said creek th SW 154.6 SW 121.9 N 590 E 260 to beg, ptn plot 67 Ro V and D Peralta.

Also in Berkeley, SE Addison and St Joseph's sts S 380 E 127.11 N 250 W 67.11 N 130 W 60 to beg, McGee tract.

Also in Berkeley, lot 16 blk 5, McGee tract.

Also in Wash Tp, 13 acres being ptn Survey No. 119 Ex-Mission lands.

Also in Oakland, S Jones st 177.1 E from NE San Pablo av E 133 S 190 E 100 S 100 to N line 21st st W 233 N 200 to beg being ptn Corrected Map Jones tract.

Also in Eden Tp, entire block 31, Town of San Leandro.

Also in Eden Tp, that ptn blk 32 which lies to SE of a line parallel with and distant 100 to SE of SE line Davis st, San Leandro.

Also in Brooklyn Tp, SE corner Old County road from Oakland to San Leandro and Bray av th S 479.90 E 415.14 N to center of creek th N to S line Old County road from Oakland to San Leandro W 400.40 to beg, being ptn Bray tract.

Also in Bklyn Tp, E Bray av 680.38 N E-14th st N 200 E 371.47 SW to a pt W to beg, ptn Bray tract.

Also in Oakland Tp, 36 acres, beg at SW corner Plot 15 th NE 12.26 chs NE 3.50 chs NE 10.35 chs NE 16.80 chs SE 8.25 chs SW 42.56 chs NW 11.18 chs to beg, except 1.432 acres in NE corner conveyed to Mountain View Cemetery Assn.

Also in Oakland Township, S bdry line of Catholic Cemetery where the S line if projected of Howe st would intersect same, th NW 205 x SW 50.

Also in Oakland, NE Henry and 8th sts E 50 x N 110.

Also in Oakland, W Chestnut st 100 S W-8th st W 127 S 85½ E 127 N 837⅝ to beg blk 537.

Also in Washington Township, lots 9 to 12 blk 65, Town of Niles.

Also in Eden Township, N line road from Haywards to Roberts' Landing 1005 E from W bdry Rancho San Lorenzo E 70 feet x N 125 feet near San Lorenzo.

Also in Washington Township, 2.90 acres beg at E corner lands of E Carter, th NW 328.60 ft SW 391 ft SE 327.40 th 381.70 to beg, Town of Centerville.

Also in Washington Township, beg at E corner of land of L Gregory, th SE 2.30 chs SW 4.96 chs NW 2.30 chs NE 4.96 chs to beg, Town of Centerville.

Also in Murray Tp, beg at a pt in NW line of road leading from Laddsville to Livermore where same intersects N line of C P R R, th NW 465.3 feet NE 201.2 feet SE 263.3 feet SW 1.2 ft SE 200 feet SW to beg, Town of Livermore.

Also in Washington Township, 19.19 acres, being lot 37 in Tp 4 S R 1 W and lot 37 Tp 5 S R 1 W, Mission San Jose.

Also in Washington Township, all that parcel of land in Mission San Jose being the ½ interest in smallest of 3 parcels bounded by Gallegos and Field and also the full right of way between the SE corner of a vineyard and the hills lying E and S, Town of Mission San Jose.

MORTGAGES.

Nov. 12, 1897—Magnus and Augusta U. Freeman to German S. & L. Society, S Taylor st 100 W Wood st W 75 x S 2-4, 1 year 8 per cent, Okd; $800.

Oct. 6, 1897—E. J. Davis to E. A. Heron, lot 11 blk G revised map Oakland Hts, Okd; $750.

Nov. 15, 1897—W. and Florence E. Allen to Continental B & L Assn, NW Ashby av and Lorina st N 100 x W 40 blk C, Adeline tract, 7 years 6 per cent, Bkly; $1,650.

Nov. 17, 1897—Emil C. and Jennie Hahn to Bank of Pleasanton, lots M, X, N, W, O and V on amended map Okd Land & Impt Co's sub ptn Santa Rita Ro at Pleasanton, Murray Tp; $2,500.

Nov. 19, 1897—Geo. B. M. Gray to Martha D. Gilman, NE Caledonia av and Grove st E 129.33 N 151.71 W 45.19 S 71 W 100 S 68.32 to beg being ptn Caledonia Hd Assn, Okd; $2,100.

Nov. 19, 1897—Edwin P. Wille to Geo. A. Norton, NE W-8th and Chester sts E 27-6 x N 100 blk 553, Nov. 19, 1898, Okd; $2,000.

DEEDS OF TRUST.

Nov. 19, 1897—J. M. Freeman to Isaac L. Requa and W. W. Garthwaite, trustees Oakland Bank of Savings, E Myrtle st 310-9 N W-12th st N 40 x E 125 blk P, lands Okd Central Hd Assn, Okd; $1,500.

Nov. 18, 1897—Anna L. Eilger to same, NW 4th av 132.57 SW E-10th st SW 22.13 x NW 100 blk 7, Clinton, E Okd; $700.

RELEASES.

Nov. 17, 1897—Lilia Touchard to E. J. Davis, 516 m 31, lots 8 and 9 blk C, Thermal Hill, formerly Howe tract, Okd Annex; $1,800.

Nov. 18, 1897—Bank of Pleasanton to E. C. Hahn, 445 m 357, lots N, W, O and V, amended map Okd Land and Impt Co's sub ptn Santa Rita Ro, Pleasanton, Murray Tp; $2,520; 445 m 497, lots M and X, same, Murray Tp; $1,280.

Nov. 19, 1897—Union Savings Bank to Leonora A. Cator, 435 m 361, W Louise st 100 N "B" st N 25 x W 133 blk 799, Watts tract map 2, Okd; $300.

Marginal—Jos. F. Gomes to J. M. and Maria J. Augustine, 518 m 235, lots 1 and 2 and E ½ of NW ¼ Sec 31 Tp 1 S R 2 W contg 164.50 acres, Eden Tp; $350.

Marginal—Mary E. Thomas to Emma L. Bittermann, 510 m 99, NW Ashby av and Louisa st N 100 x W 40 blk C, Adeline tract, Bkly; $1,200.

Nov. 19, 1897—Farmers' and Merchants' Savings Bank to Geo. B. M. Gray, 520 m 140, NE Caledonia av and Grove st E 129.33 N 151.71 W 45.19 S 35 W 100 S 104.23 to beg ptn Caledonia Hd Assn, Okd; $2,000.

Nov. 17, 1897—S. F. Savings Bank to D. P. and Mary Hickey, 458 m 293, E cor 14th av and E-24th st NE 156 SE 122 W 159 NW 5 to beg being ptn Highland Park, E Okd; N cor 14th av and E-24th st NE 35.60 NW 108.33 SW 34 SE 97.66 to beg, blk 251, Clinton, E Okd; $1,342.

MISCELLANEOUS PAPERS.

CHATTEL MORTGAGES.

Jan 8, 96—Wm Dixon to C W Stoffers, 2 race horses, 1 at Bay District Race Track S F and the other on Knight's Ranch, Sonoma Co, Apr 8, 96, 7 per cent, $300.

HOMESTEADS.

Nov 19, 97—Matilda C Jacobson wf Nils, declaration, E Spruce st 360 N Vine st N 60 x E 134-7, being a resub of ptn Antisell's Map of Villa Lots, Bkly, $1000.

EXECUTION.

14,392—Nov 18, 97—D E McDonald vs O M Lee, ppty in name of Eliza J Lee, N Railroad av 125.70 W Stanton st N 165.60 W 25 S 165.68 E 25.14 to beg, blk F, Powers tct, Ala, $1352. Writ issued from Superior Court, Ala Co.

ASSIGNMENTS.

Nov 10, 97—Bessie Johnson to J J Rauer, assigns 538 m 365, made by L D Olin Dec 17, 95 for $150, Lot 15 blk D, Lincoln Park, Okd Tp, $31.

Nov 18, 97—E A Heron to Eugenie McLaren gdn Est Mary McLaren, assigns E-6972 mtge made by E J Davis Oct 6, 97 for $750, Lot 11 blk G, Revised Map Oakland Heights, Okd, $5.

NOTICE OF ACCEPTANCE OF BUILDING.

Nov 17, 97—John & Eva Finn (owners) to A T Spence (contractor) on ptn lot 2 blk 21, Berkeley Villa Assn tct, Bkly. Completed Nov 16, 97.

LIENS.

Nov 18, 97—Jas McGiouly vs Abraham Lippman, Lot 20 blk 194, Okd, $154.

COURT ACTIONS.

INSOLVENCY.

14,561—Jules Vignier (Business ——) petition by debtor; Liab $1720, assets, real ppty $2000, incumbered for $150, homesteaded for $2000, personal ppty, $750, ppty exempt $25, Signed Nov 15, 97, Filed Nov 19, 97, T F Garrity.

JUDGMENT.

14,201—Geo H Jeffress et al vs First National Bank, of dismissal.

14,419—Cora A Rose vs Laughlin McB Rose, decree of divorce.

ESTATES.

5,473 D 4—Gottfried Benitien, letters of administration, William H Knight Public Administrator, property (unknown), George E De Golia.

5,474 D 4—Rebecca G Knox, Probate of will, Charles W Knox, real property, $400, John Yule.

5,475 D 4—Manuel Fernandes, letters of administration, Mary Fernandes, real and personal property, $425, J. Black.

SHERIFFS SALES.

Dec 6, 97—Jacob Levi Sr vs Frederick J Ramme et al, The N 90 ft of lot 36 and S 20 ft of lot 37, Revised Map J Levi Sr tct, Bklyn Tp. At 2 P M in front of Court House.

Dec 9, 97—Oakland Paving Co vs Andrew Linden, E San Pablo av 235.21 N Bancroft Way N 25 x E 150 blk G, Bryant tct, Bkly. At 10 A M in front of Court House.

COMMISSIONERS SALES.

Nov. 22, 1897—Oakland Bank of Savings vs. E. D. Lake et al., SE 22d and Chestnut S 145 x E 22 blk 619. At 10 A. M. in front of Court House.

Nov. 22, 1897—Mutual Savings Bank of S. F. vs. Frances C. Baker et al., W Wayne av at com cor lots 7 and 8 blk A, Peralta Heights, th W 78.58 S 142.62 E to W line Wayne av N to beg, blk A, Peralta Heights, E Okd. At 10 A. M. in front of Court House.

Nov 29, 97—Jules Diedier vs Henry A Cobb et al, E Telegraph av 200.40 N Sutter st N 150 E 150 N 150 S 200 W 150 S 100 W 150 to beg, block C, V Peralta Reservation Tract, Okd Anx. At 12 M in front of Court House.

Dec 6, 97—Puget Sound Lumber Co vs Asa C Stoddard et al, Lots 6 and 7 blk E, less a strip 10 ft wide on S side for opening Encinal av, Lands adjct to Encinal, Ala. At 10 A M in front of Court House.

Dec 7, 97—Union Savings Bank vs Est Annie T Hickling et al, W Campbell 119 N Taylor N 42 x W 92-4 blk 700, Okd. At 10 A M in front of Court House.

Dec 8, 97—Regina Scheyer vs Jeneny Borgstrom et al, S Central av where the dividing line bet lds fmly owned by Jas Heron and lds fmly owned by G Aughinbaugh intersects said av W 100 x S 150 being ptn Auginbaugh 223 acre tct, Ala, At 2 P M in front of Court House.

Dec 11, 97—Louis Reiner vs Martin Rubanick et al, Lot 15 blk C, Peralta Park, Lot 23 Peralta Park, Southern Anx, Bkly; Also lot 28 blk B, Janes tct, Bkly. At 10 A M in front of Court House.

Dec 13, 97—David Anderson vs J A Eastman et al, Lot 10 blk D, Latham Terrace, Bklyn Tp. At 3 P M in front Court House.

THE PRODUCE MARKET.

WHEAT AND OTHER GRAINS.

Local quotations are as follows: $1.37½@1.38¾ for No. 1, $1.40 for choice and $1.41¼@1.42½ for extra choice for milling.

FLOUR AND MILLSTUFFS.

FLOUR—Net cash prices are: Family extras, $4.55@4.65; bakers' extras, $4.30@4.60 per bbl.

CORNMEAL, ETC.—Feed corn, $22 per ton; cracked corn, $23@24 per ton.

MILLSTUFFS—Prices in sacks are as follows: Graham flour, $3 per 100 lbs; rye flour, $2.50 per 100; rice flour, $5.75; cornmeal, $2.25; extra cream do, $3; oatmeal, $3.50; oat groats, $4; hominy, $3.10@3.30; buckwheat flour, $3.25@3.50; cracked wheat, $3.25; farina, $4.50; whole wheat flour, $3.25; rolled oats (bbls), $5.70@5.90, in sacks $5.75; pearl barley, $4; split peas, $3.50; green do, $4.25 per 100 lbs.

HAY AND FEEDSTUFFS.

BRAN—$17@18 per ton.

MIDDLINGS—$20.50@22.50 per ton.

FEEDSTUFFS—Rolled barley, $20@21; oilcake meal at the mill, $30 per ton; jobbing, $31; chopped feed, $16@17 per ton.

HAY—Wheat, $12@14.50 per ton; wheat and oat, $11@13.50; oat, $10@12; barley, $10@12; compressed, $12@14; alfalfa, $8@9.50; stock, nominal; clover, $8@9.50 per ton.

STRAW—30@45c per bale.

SAN FRANCISCO MEAT MARKET.

BEEF—First quality, 6½@7c per lb; second do, 5½@6c; third do, 4@5c per lb.

VEAL—Large, 5@6c; small, 6@7c per lb.

MUTTON—Wethers, 6@7c; ewes, 6c per lb.

LAMB—Spring, 7@8c per lb.

PORK—3¼@3⅝c for large and 3½c for small and 3¾@3⅞ for medium; soft hogs, 2½@3¼c per lb; dressed do, 5@6c.

BEANS AND SEEDS.

BEANS—Bayos, $1.75@2; small whites, $1.10@1.20; large whites, 90c@$1.05; pinks, $1.25@1.35; reds, $1.35@1.40; blackeye, $1.75@1.90; red kidney, $1.75@1.90; limas, $1.50@1.70; butters, $1.35@1.50; pea, $1.20@1.40.

SEEDS—Brown mustard, $3 per ctl; yellow mustard, $2@2.50 per ctl; flax, $1.80@2; canary seed, 2½@2¾c per lb; alfalfa, 6¼c; rape, 2@2¾c; hemp, 3c; timothy, 5½c.

DRIED PEAS—Niles, $1.25; green, $1.20@1.40 per ctl.

POTATOES, ONIONS, VEGETABLES.

POTATOES—Early Rose, 25@40c; river reds, 35@40c; river burbanks, 30@40c; Oregon burbanks, 40@50c; Salinas burbanks, 60@80c; sweet potatoes, 40@60c per ctl for rivers and 75c for Merced.

ONIONS—$1.40@1.50; pickle onions, 50@75c per sack.

VEGETABLES—Marrowfat squash, $10 per ton; hubbard squash, $10 per ton; bay cucumbers, 40@50c per box; green peppers, 40@60c per box; dried peppers, 5@6c; green peas, 4@5c per lb; string beans, 5@8c; lima beans, nominal; dried okra, 12½c per lb; egg plant, 40@75c; cabbage, 60@75c per ctl; carrots, 25@30c per sack; garlic, 3@3½c per lb; tomatoes, 35@50c per box.

POULTRY AND GAME.

Live turkeys, 13@13½c for gobblers and 12@13½c for hens; dressed turkeys, 13@16c; geese, per pair, $1.25@1.50; ducks, $3.50@4.50; hens, $3.50@5; roosters, young, $4@5 per dozen; do, old, $3.75@4.50; fryers, $3.50@3.75; broilers, $3.25@3.50 for large and $2.50@3 for small; pigeons, $1.25@1.50 per dozen for young and 75c@$1 for old.

GAME—Quail, per dozen, $1.25; mallard, $4@4.50; canvasback, $4.50@6; sprig, $2.50@2.75; teal, $1.50@1.75; widgeon, $1.50@2; small duck, $1.50@1.75 per doz; gray geese, $2.50@3; white, $1.25@1.50 per dozen; brant, $1.50@2; English snipe, $1.75@2; jack snipe, $1@1.25; hare, $1@1.25; rabbits, $1.25@1.50 for cottontails and 75c@$1 for small.

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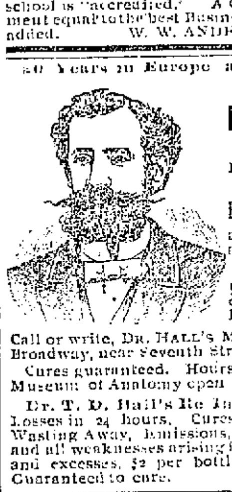

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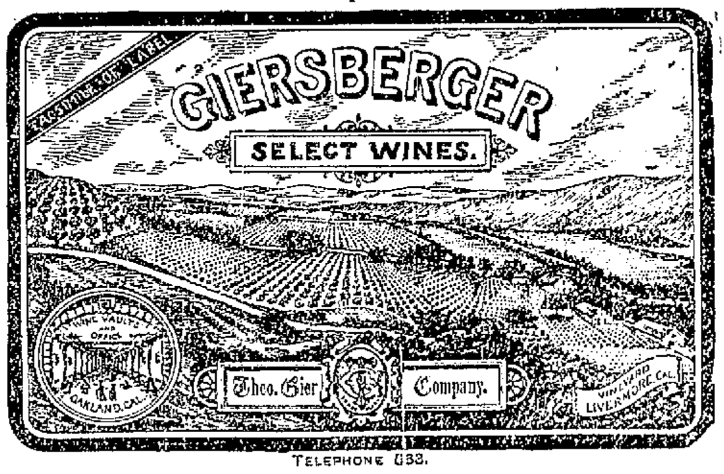

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BOARD OF SUPERVISORS.

Proceedings of Adjourned Regular Meeting of the Board of Supervisors, Monday, November 15th, 1897.

The Board of Supervisors met at 10 o'clock A. M.

The roll was called and all members were found to be present.

The minutes of the last regular meeting were read and approved without alteration.

RELIEF TO INDIGENTS.

The following persons made application for relief:

Frank R. Bradley, 607 Third street, nativity Massachusetts, married, three children.

Mary Graham, 844 Fallon street, nativity England, widow.

Referred to Supervisor Church.

Josephine Hunter, 865 Twenty-seventh street, nativity Maryland, widow, four children.

Referred to Supervisor Mitchell.

John Lavin, 908 Washington street, nativity Ireland.

Mrs. Ella Peters, Second street and Broadway, nativity Germany, married.

Referred to Supervisor Church.

J. Martinez, First avenue, Temescal, nativity California, married, three children.

Referred to Supervisor Mitchell.

REPORTS OF COUNTY AND TOWNSHIP OFFICERS.

The following reports were received:

From A. D. Pryal, Horticultural Commissioner, report concerning transactions by him.

From Chris. P. Miller, Road Foreman Washington Road District, from September 22d to October 26th.

From J. Kruse, Road Foreman Pleasanton Road District, from October 1st to November 1st.

From F. B. Granger Jr., Road Foreman Alvarado Road District, from October 1st to October 31st.

From M. Koopmann, Road Foreman Dublin Road District, from October 1st to November 1st.

The last four reports having been favorably passed upon by the Supervisor from the First District, they were ordered filed.

ALLOWANCE OF CREDITS.

James Gibbon made application for allowance of credits so that his term of imprisonment would expire November 20th instead of November 30th.

James Johnson, November 17th instead of November 27th.

Edward Leedes, November 21st instead of December 21st.

Thos. Thompson, November 17th instead of December 2d.

J. W. Neer, November 19th instead of December 4th.

The recommendation of the Jailer being favorable, the applications were granted.

REQUISITIONS.

E. L. Lawrence, Justice of the Peace of Oakland township, asked for one docket.

Granted.

F. B. Ogden, Superior Judge, for one set of California Codes for 1897.

Granted.

M. A. Whidden, for one case with lock and key to store away county claims.

Granted.

APPLICATIONS FOR PERMITS.

F. Bormann made application for permit to sell wines at Orchard avenue and San Leandro road, Elmhurst.

O. O. Fox, San Leandro road.

The applications being in proper form and the bonds accompanying the same correct, the bonds were approved and the applications referred to the Judiciary Committee.

Henry Meyer and Claus Meyer made application for saloon at Elmhurst, but the bond being incorrect as to the amount no action was taken upon the application.

THE JUDICIARY COMMITTEE

Reported favorably upon the applications of Neils Lund and C. A. Renner, and thereupon appropriate resolutions were introduced and adopted granting said parties permits to obtain licenses for the sale of liquors.

ACCEPTANCE OF INSANE ANNEX.

Edgar A. Matthews, architect, presented his certificate showing that the contract for construction of insane annex to the Receiving Hospital had been properly performed, and also certified to bills for $18 and $16 for extra work.

Ordered placed on file and matter referred to Committee of the Whole for their consideration.

EXTENSION OF TIME IN WHICH TO MACADAMIZE MOUNTAIN ROAD.

Thomas B. Russell applied for forty days' further time in which to macadamize county road known as Mountain road.

Supervisor Talcott stated that it would not be advisable to continue work to such time as would cause trouble and inconvenience owing to winter rains.

After some discussion, on motion of Supervisor Roeth, the matter was referred to Supervisor Talcott with power. Seconded by Wells, and carried by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Church, Mitchell, Roeth, Wells, Chairman Talcott—5.

Noes—None.

EXTENSION OF TIME TO COMPLETE RAILROAD PROPOSED TO BE BUILT UNDER FRANCHISES GRANTED TO F. CHAPPELLET AND OTHERS.

E. P. Vandercook asked for further time in which to complete railroad over line granted by franchise of Board of Supervisors dated August 13th, 1895.

After some consideration the communication was referred to the Committee on Bridges, Roads and Franchises for further consideration and report.

FREE PEDDLERS' LICENSE.

A proper showing having been made, on motion, duly made and seconded, free licenses were granted to Sabin Griffis and I. O. Ross by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Church, Mitchell, Roeth, Wells, Chairman Talcott—5.

Noes—None.

LOAN OF BALLOT BOX.

Mr. Abrahamson of Abrahamson Bros. made application for use of one ballot box for three weeks.

Supervisor Roeth moved that the request be granted.

Seconded, and carried by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Church, Mitchell, Roeth, Wells, Chairman Talcott—5.

Noes—None.

WATERING PLANT AT MOUTH OF ALTAMONT CANYON.

The following resolution was introduced by Supervisor Wells:

"Resolved, That the County Surveyor make the necessary surveys for designing and making specifications for the erection of a road watering plant at the mouth of the Altamont canyon for the purpose of watering county road No. 818."

The roll was called and the resolution adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Church, Mitchell, Roeth, Wells, Chairman Talcott—5.

Noes—None.

EXTENSION OF PIPE CULVERTS ACROSS LAND OF BERLIN AND OTHERS.

The following resolution was introduced by Supervisor Talcott:

"Whereas, It was deemed desirable by the County Surveyor to secure outlets for storm water across the lands of F. A. Berlin, Mrs. Albrecht and William McKinnon for the better drainage of High street in Brooklyn township.

"Therefore be it Resolved, That the action of Supervisor Talcott in securing the above rights be approved by this Board, and that he be empowered to extend suitable pipe culverts across the above lands to the main creek running through them."

The roll was called and the resolution adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Church, Mitchell, Wells, Chairman Talcott—4.

Excused—Supervisor Roeth—1.

RE-CARPETING AND KALSOMINING HALLS OF COURT HOUSE.

The following resolution was introduced by Supervisor Mitchell:

"Resolved, That the Building Committee be authorized and empowered by this Board to have the halls of the Court House re-carpeted and re-kalsomined."

The roll was called and the resolution adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Church, Mitchell, Wells, Chairman Talcott—4.

Noes—Supervisor Roeth—1.

REPAIR OF THREE BRIDGES ON ALVARADO ROAD.

The following resolution was introduced by Supervisor Wells:

"Whereas, At the last meeting of this Board a resolution was adopted concerning three bridges on road leading from Alvarado to Centerville; and

"Whereas, By inadvertence and mistake said resolution provided for the reconstruction of said three bridges instead of for the repair and replanking of same as intended by this Board.

"Now therefore be it Resolved, That the action of this Board in passing said resolution be and the same is hereby reconsidered, and said resolution is hereby rescinded because of said error; and

"Be it further Resolved, That Supervisor Wells, as Road Commissioner of Alvarado Road District, be and he is hereby authorized to have repaired and replanked in Alvarado Road District three bridges on the Alvarado road between Centerville and Alvarado, the total length of the three bridges to be 650 feet, and the cost of the three not to exceed $85, and that the bills for the same when presented be allowed and ordered paid, a portion out of the County General Fund, a portion out of the General Road Fund and a portion out of the Alvarado Road Fund.

"Resolved further, That any work done on said bridges by Supervisor Wells since November 8th be and is hereby approved."

The roll was called and the resolution adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Church, Mitchell, Wells, Chairman Talcott—4.

Noes—Supervisor Roeth—1.

CONSTRUCTION OF CULVERT ON FISH RANCH ROAD NEAR SUMMIT, CLAREMONT ROAD DISTRICT.

The resolution introduced by Supervisor Roeth at the last meeting, asking for authority to build culvert on the Fish ranch road, near the summit, Claremont Road District, was again introduced by him and its adoption moved by him, but no second being offered, the same was not further considered by the Board.

CHANGES, WEBSTER STREET BRIDGE.

The resolution introduced by Supervisor Roeth at the last meeting, calling for action concerning changes required to be made on Webster street bridge was again introduced by Supervisor Roeth and read by the Clerk, and its adoption moved.

No second being offered, the matter was by the Chair referred to Supervisor Roeth.

ORDINANCE AMENDING PROVISIONS OF ORDINANCE AFFECTING EXPRESSMEN.

Supervisor Mitchell introduced an ordinance amending section 7 of the license ordinance.

Same was read by the Clerk in full, after which Supervisor Church moved that rule 9 be suspended and the ordinance placed upon its final passage.

Seconded by Supervisor Wells, and the rule suspended by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Church, Mitchell, Roeth, Wells, Chairman Talcott—5.

Noes—None.

Thereupon the following ordinance was introduced:

"An ordinance amending section 7 of an ordinance entitled 'An ordinance licensing for purposes of regulation and revenue every kind of lawful business hereinafter specified, transacted or carried on within the corporate limits of the county of Alameda, State of California, and all shows, exhibitions or lawful games carried on therein; fixing rates of license tax upon the same and prescribing penalties for the violation of said ordinance,' passed and adopted by the Board of Supervisors of said county of Alameda, January 20th, 1896, and as amended September 20th, 1897.

"The Board of Supervisors of the county of Alameda do ordain as follows:

"Section 1. Section 7 of an ordinance entitled 'An ordinance licensing for the purposes of regulation and revenue every kind of lawful business hereinafter specified, transacted or carried on within the corporate limits of the county of Alameda, State of California, and all shows, exhibitions and lawful games carried on therein, fixing rates of license tax upon the same and prescribing penalties for violation of said ordinance,' passed and adopted by the Board of Supervisors of said county of Alameda, January 20th, 1896, and as amended September 20th, 1897, is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

"Section 7. Licenses must be obtained for the purposes hereinafter named and payment must be made as follows:

"No. 1. Proprietors of billiard or pool tables not kept exclusively for family use, for each table $1 per quarter.

"No. 2. For a bowling alley, $1 per quarter for each alley.

"No. 3. For each exhibition per day for a caravan or menagerie or any collection of animals, circus or any acrobatic performance, $25.

"No. 4. For each show for pay of any figures, jugglers, necromancers, magicians, wire or rope dancers or sleight of hand exhibitions, $5 each day.

"Section 2. This ordinance shall take effect and be in force 15 days after its passage."

Passed and adopted Nov. 15th, 1897, by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Church, Mitchell, Roeth, Wells, Chairman Talcott—5.

Noes—None.

ADJOURNMENT.

There being no further business to transact, the Board adjourned to meet Monday, November 22nd, at 10 o'clock A. M.

J. R. TALCOTT, Chairman.

Attest: Frank C. Jordan, Clerk.

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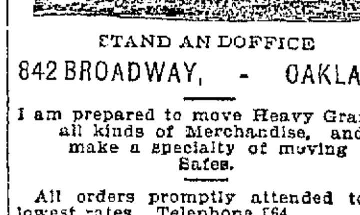

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ADJUDICATION OF INSOLVENCY

In the Superior Court of the county of Alameda, State of California.

In the matter of H. Schoenfelder, in insolvency.

The matter of the petition of H. Van Bergen & Co., A. Repsold & Co., Henry Gloy, Samuel Bros. & Co. and Oakland Co-operative Cigar Co., praying that H. Schoenfelder, respondent herein, may be adjudged to be an insolvent debtor, coming on regularly to be heard this 17th day of November, 1897, Dinkelspiel & Gesford, Esqs., appearing for said petitioners, and no one appearing for said respondent; and it further appearing to the Court that the said respondent, after being duly and regularly served on the first day of November, 1897, with a copy of the order to show cause herein, and that respondent has failed to answer the petition of creditors herein. And it further appearing to the Court that all of the allegations contained in said petition are true: It is hereby ordered, adjudged and decreed that the said H. Schoenfelder now is, and on the 8th day of October, 1897, the date of the filing of the petition aforesaid, was insolvent within the true intent and meaning of the Act of the Legislature of the State of California, entitled, "An Act for the relief of insolvent debtors for the protection of creditors and for the punishment of fraudulent debtors," passed March 26, 1895, and that the said insolvent debtor, respondent herein, is guilty of the acts and things charged in the said petition as therein alleged.

It is further ordered that the said H. Schoenfelder file in this Court within three days a schedule and inventory, in accordance with sections three and four of the said Act, duly verified.

It is further ordered that all the creditors of said debtor whose claims shall have been placed on file in the office of the Clerk of this Court at least two days prior to the 26th day of November, 1897, be and appear before the Hon. W. E. Greene, Judge of the Superior Court of the county of Alameda, State of California, in open Court, at the Court-room of said Court, Department No. 2, in the county of Alameda, on the said 26th day of November, 1897, at 10 o'clock A. M. of that day, to prove their debts and choose an assignee of the estate of said debtor.

It is further ordered that this order be published in "Oakland Tribune," a newspaper of general circulation, published in the county of Alameda, as often as the said newspaper is printed before the said day set for the meeting of creditors.

And it is further ordered that, in the meantime, all proceedings against the said insolvent debtor be stayed.

Dated November 17th, 1897.

W. E. GREENE,
Judge of the Superior Court.

Endorsed: Filed November 17th, 1897. Frank C. Jordan, Clerk; by D. A. Sinclair, Deputy Clerk.

DINKELSPIEL & GESFORD, Att'ys for Creditors.

Proposals for Furnishing Supplies.

Notice is hereby given that the Board of Directors of Industrial Home of Mechanical Trades for the Adult Blind will receive and open proposals and award contracts for supplying the Home for the coming six months and sixteen days, commencing December 14, 1897, and ending June 30, 1898, with the following articles: California and second quality Eastern broomcorn.

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The Board reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

All bidders for furnishing supplies are invited to be present at the opening of the bids.

By order of the Board of Directors.

H. R. HAVENS,
Secretary.

Notice of Sale of Personal Property at Private Sale.

In the Superior Court of the county of Alameda, State of California.

In the matter of the estate of Andrew Olcese, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that in pursuance of an order of the Superior Court, made on the 15th day of November, 1897, in the matter of the estate of Andrew Olcese, deceased, the undersigned, executrix and executors of the last will and testament of said deceased, will sell in one lot or parcel, at private sale, for cash, the following described personal property belonging to the estate of said deceased:

All the interest, being an undivided one-half of the estate of said deceased in the personal property of the mercantile firm of Olcese & Garibaldi of Merced, California. Said personal property consists of a stock of general merchandise and fixtures at Merced, book accounts, notes, thirty-two (32) shares of the capital stock of the Merced Grangers' Warehouse Co., fifty (50) shares of the capital stock of the Merced Security Savings Bank, seven (7) shares of the capital stock of the Merced Milling Company.

Said sale will be made on or after the 29th day of November, 1897, and bids or offers for the said property may be delivered to the said executrix and executors at the residence of said executrix, No. 1030 Sixteenth street, Oakland, California, or at the store and office of said Olcese & Garibaldi at Merced, California. A deposit of ten per cent of the amount bid must accompany each bid, the balance to be paid on confirmation of said sale by the above entitled Superior Court.

Dated November 16th, 1897.

MARGARET OLCESE,
JOHN B. OLCESE,
FRANK OLCESE,
Executrix and Executors of the last will and testament of said deceased.

REDDY, CAMPBELL & METSON, Attorneys for Executrix and Executors.

LEGAL.

NOTICE.

State and County Taxes for the Year 1897.

STATE AND COUNTY TAXES FOR the year 1897.

To all taxpayers in the county of Alameda, State of California.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, Tax Collector of the county of Alameda, State of California, is in receipt of the assessment book of said county of Alameda, and that in accordance with the provisions of Section 3746 of the Political Code of the State of California.

Notice is hereby given that the assessment book for State and county taxes for the year 1897, on all property within the county of Alameda, has been received by me, and that the taxes as shown by said assessment book are now due and payable at my office in the Court House of said county of Alameda, in the city of Oakland, county of Alameda, State of California, every day (except legal holidays) during office hours, after the second Monday in October, 1897, and as follows:

The taxes on all personal property secured by real property, and one-half of the taxes on all real property in the said county of Alameda, will be due and payable on the

SECOND MONDAY IN OCTOBER IN THE YEAR 1897.

At my office in the Court House of said Alameda county, situated in the city of Oakland, in said county, every day (not a legal holiday) during office hours as fixed by law, and will be delinquent on the

LAST MONDAY IN NOVEMBER, 1897,

At 6 o'clock P. M. of said day, and that unless paid prior thereto, fifteen per cent will be added to the amount thereof, and that if said one-half be not paid before the last Monday in April, 1898, five per cent will be added thereto.

And notice is further given that the remaining one-half of the taxes on all real property in said Alameda county for the year 1897 will be payable to the undersigned, Tax Collector of said Alameda county, as aforesaid, at the office of the Tax Collector, as aforesaid, on and after the first Monday in January, 1898, and will be delinquent on the

LAST MONDAY IN APRIL, 1898,

At 6 o'clock P. M. of said day, and that unless paid prior thereto, five per cent will be added to the amount thereof.

Notice is hereby further given that all taxes may be paid at the time the first installment, as herein provided, is due and payable.

And notice is hereby further given that in accordance with said Section 3746 of the Political Code of the State of California, and after the second Monday in October, 1897, all the taxes, whether first or second installment, before delinquency thereof, or, if delinquent, together with the percentage added thereto as is above set forth, may be paid to me at my office, as aforesaid, at any time during business hours as aforesaid, and after said

SECOND MONDAY IN OCTOBER, 1897.

And upon such full payment being made, full receipts for the taxes, both first and second installments, will be given in accordance with law.

Dated at Oakland, California, this 11th day of October, 1897.

JAMES B. BARBER,

Tax Collector of the county of Alameda, State of California.

School Bonds for Sale.

By order of the Board of Supervisors of Alameda county, California, passed and adopted at a regular meeting of said Board held in said county of Alameda on the 25th day of October, 1897, scaled proposals will be received at the office of the Treasurer of said county at the Hall of Records of said county, in the city of Oakland, county of Alameda, State of California, until 12 o'clock noon of the 30th day of November, 1897, for the purchase of school bonds of the denomination of one thousand dollars each of Fruitvale School District of said Alameda county. Said bonds were issued by said Board of Supervisors under and in accordance with the provisions of Sections 1880 to 1888 both inclusive of the Political Code of the State of California, and in conformity with an order of said Board of Supervisors passed October 25th, 1897, and bear interest at the rate of five per cent per annum until paid. Interest payable on the 8th day of December of each year, out of and from the building fund of said school district upon presentation and surrender to the Treasurer of said county of the interest coupons.

Said bonds are to be numbered consecutively one to fifteen inclusive, and are to mature as follows, to-wit:

Bond number one six years from date.
Bond number two seven years from date.
Bond number three eight years from date.
Bond number four nine years from date.
Bond number five ten years from date.
Bond number six eleven years from date.
Bond number seven twelve years from date.
Bond number eight thirteen years from date.
Bond number nine fourteen years from date.
Bond number ten fifteen years from date.
Bond number eleven sixteen years from date.
Bond number twelve seventeen years from date.
Bond number thirteen eighteen years from date.
Bond number fourteen nineteen years from date.
Bond number fifteen twenty years from date.

Bids will be received for one or any larger number of said bonds up to fifteen. All bids must be equal in amount to the par value of the bonds bid for, and accompanied by a certified check or cash deposit in the sum of at least ten per cent of the amount of the bid, payable to the Treasurer of the said county of Alameda. The said check or deposit will be returned in case of rejection of bid, and will be forfeited to said Board of Trustees if the bidder neglects to pay for the bonds he bids for within five days after notice of acceptance of the bid. Upon the opening of said proposals said bonds will be sold to the highest and best bidder for cash in U. S. gold coin, subject to the above provision. Proposals for the purchase of said bonds will be opened at the office of the Treasurer of said county of Alameda by the Board of Trustees of said Fruitvale School District at one minute past twelve o'clock noon of the 30th day of November, 1897, at which time said bonds will be sold to the highest and best bidder therefor for cash in U. S. gold coin, subject to the above provisions.

All proposals or bids are to be addressed to the "Board of Trustees of Fruitvale School District, care O. M. Sanford, Treasurer, Alameda County, Cal.," and endorsed "Proposals for Bonds."

Dated October 29, 1897.

E. E. HUNT,
ROBT. B. BAIN,
FRANK HARROLD,
Trustees Fruitvale School District, Alameda county, Cal.

PROBATE NOTICE.

In the Superior Court of the county of Alameda, State of California.

In the matter of the estate of Benjamin T. Conger, deceased.

Notice of time set for proving will, etc.

Notice is hereby given, that a petition for the probate of the will of Benjamin T. Conger, deceased, and for the issuance to Sarah Jane Conger of letters testamentary thereon has been filed in this Court, and that Monday, the 22d day of November, A. D. 1897, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, at the Court-room of Department No. 4 of said Court, at the Court House in the city of Oakland, in said county of Alameda, has been set for the hearing of said petition and proving said will, when and where any person interested may appear and contest the same.

Dated, November 5th, 1897.

FRANK C. JORDAN, Clerk.

By F. D. ADAMS, Deputy Clerk.

SNOOK & CHURCH, Attorneys-at-Law, Court House, Oakland, Cal.

LEGAL.

PETITION

Regulating Water Rates.

Notice of Hearing Before the Board of Supervisors of the County of Alameda of a petition of M. L. Show and Others, for the Purpose of Regulating and Controlling the Charge for Water and Compensation to Be Collected by the Contra Costa and Oakland Water Companies in the County of Alameda, State of California.

Notice is hereby given that on the 6th day of December, 1897, at the Board rooms of the Board of Supervisors of the county of Alameda, city of Oakland, of said county, at 11 o'clock A. M. of said day or as soon thereafter as the same can be heard, the petition of M. L. Show and others for the purpose of regulating and controlling the rates and compensation to be collected by the Contra Costa and Oakland Water Companies, for the county of Alameda, will be duly heard and considered by the Board of Supervisors of the county of Aalmeda.

Said petition reads as follows:

PETITION FOR REDUCTION OF WATER RATES.

To the Honorable the Board of Supervisors of Alameda County:—

The petition of the undersigned respectfully shows and represents:

That the Council of the city of Oakland, acting under the power conferred on them by law, have materially reduced the charge for the use of water supplied to the public by the Contra Costa and Oakland Water Companies, and that the new rates made by the said City Council are based upon the entire plant of said Contra Costa and Oakland Water Companies and upon their entire revenue, and are not confined to their expenditures and revenues arising solely within the corporate limits of the city of Oakland;

That therefore rates which will yield a lawful revenue within the said city of Oakland will also yield a lawful revenue when made applicable outside said limits;

That your petitioners are inhabitants of and taxpayers of this county of Alameda, State of California, and reside outside the corporate limits of any city or town in said county, and further represent that said petitioners are water-rate payers.

Wherefore the undersigned do hereby most respectfully petition your Honorable Board, acting under the powers conferred by law for the regulation of charges for the use of water as laid down by "An Act to regulate and control the sale, rental and distribution of appropriated water in this State, other than in any city, city and county, or town therein, etc.," approved March 12, 1885, regulate and reduce the rates lawfully to be charged by the Contra Costa and Oakland Water Companies for the use of water in the territory within your jurisdiction outside the corporate limits of the city of Oakland as will make them uniform with such lawful rates as were recently enacted to apply within the corporate limits of the city of Oakland;

And your petitioners will ever pray, etc.

M. S. Show, Elmhurst.
Fred Harris, Elmhurst.
A. J. Bowman, Elmhurst.
E. L. Stone, Elmhurst.
J. S. Olivera, Elmhurst.
M. L. Connell, Elmhurst.
Mr. G. Dugan, Elmhurst.
Chas. Taube, Elmhurst.
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Mrs. E. E. Pease, Elmhurst.
Mrs. A. D. Lewis, Elmhurst.
Patrick O'Connor, Elmhurst.
Mrs. W. Galbraith, Elmhurst.
Swan Besser, Elmhurst.
H. Meyer, Elmhurst.
Manuel Silveira Duarte, Elmhurst.
Toney Olvara, Elmhurst.
Joas do Souza Dias, Elmhurst.
Joze Nico Faria, Elmhurst.
A. Augusto, Elmhurst.
A. C. Malone, Elmhurst.
P. Barbin, Elmhurst.
William Wanllow, Elmhurst.
Aug. Carlson, Elmhurst.
F. D. Ballard, Elmhurst.
James Galbraith, Elmhurst.
Andrew McMartin, Elmhurst.
Clifton F. Page, Elmhurst.
Fred Miller, Elmhurst.
R. Simpson, Elmhurst.
Mrs. G. G. Gates, Elmhurst.
Mrs. Mary Cotter, Elmhurst.
J. D. Armstrong, Elmhurst.
Mrs. John Dutry, Elmhurst.
L. M. Bigelow, Elmhurst.
C. Petersen, Elmhurst.
M. B. Matson, Elmhurst.
H. R. Ballard, Elmhurst.
A. J. Hillem, Elmhurst.
T. H. Price, Elmhurst.
Mrs. A. D. Anderson, Elmhurst.
J. Lee, Elmhurst.
A. Christensen, Elmhurst.
W. K. Damon, Elmhurst.
Wm. Clark, Elmhurst.
A. L. Patton, Elmhurst.
E. Hazlett, Elmhurst.
H. H. Cramer, Fitchburg.
G. G. Shackleton, Fitchburg.
Frank Miller, Fitchburg.
H. J. Cronin, Fitchburg.
V. D. Casley, Fitchburg.
W. J. Keating, Elmhurst.
R. M. Smith, Elmhurst.
Martin Behncke, Fitchburg.
David Lawson, Fitchburg.
Thos. K. Davis, Fitchburg.
Mrs. Thomas Davis, Fitchburg.
Samuel Claxton, Fitchburg.
Mrs. W. J. Field Jr., Fitchburg.
Thos. J. Learned, Fitchburg.
Levi Nelson Green, Fitchburg.
E. F. Gibber, Fitchburg.
Julius Harstrich, Fitchburg.
J. O. Clanage, Fitchburg.
C. Clundy, Fitchburg.
J. L. Burdock, Elmhurst.
Ed Hoerst, Elmhurst.
Jno. M. Krueger, Elmhurst.
W. F. Lynch, Elmhurst.
Geo. S. Scott, Elmhurst.
C. F. Courtz, Elmhurst.

Said notice above set forth is mad to notify all persons, companies, associations and corporations mentioned in said petition and all persons interested in the matters of such petition and notice of the hearing of said petition of M. L. Show and others for the purpose of regulating and controlling the charges for water and compensation to be collected by the Contra Costa and Oakland Water Companies in the said county of Alameda.

By order of the Board of Supervisors.

(Seal) FRANK C. JORDAN,
Clerk of the Board of Supervisors of Alameda County, California.

Dated, November 1, 1897.

Notice to Architects.

The Trustees of Fruitvale School District hereby invite plans and specifications for an eight (8) room modern school house not to exceed ($16,000) sixteen thousand dollars, to be erected on a level lot 200x177; basement 8 feet in the clear bitumen floor. All drawings to be made in pen and ink, a scale of ⅛ inch to the foot and as follows:

Basement, first and second story plans, four elevations and at least one section and one perspective. Plans to be handed in on or before the 24th day of November, 1897, at the residence of Clerk E. E. Hunt on Fruitvale avenue, Fruitvale, Alameda Co., Calif.

As four (4) rooms will be left unfinished, an estimate must be handed in with above drawings based on the cost of remainder completed.

The Trustees reserve the right to reject any and all plans.

E. E. HUNT,
ROBT. B. BAIN,
FRANK HARROLD,
Trustees Fruitvale School District, Alameda County, Cal.

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A Slight Mistake.

"Marriage is the saving of a young man," said my Aunt Tabitha, sententiously.

I assented, for I find it pays to give a ready acquiescence to abstract proposition.

"You must marry," continued my aunt.

"I am still very young," I said, meekly.

My aunt turned to my mother. "Whom shall Alfred marry? What do you say to Letitia Brownlow, or Amelia Stafforth?"

"Is she not rather"—my mother waved one hand—"and Alfred is so slim."

"I think she has a very fine figure," responded my aunt. "Or there is Gertrude Williams. She will have a fortune if she outlives her sisters."

"There are only five of them," I said, hopefully.

"Or Mabel Gordon?"

"No, none of these," I cried, decisively.

My aunt looked offended. "Very well, then; choose for yourself," she said, tartly.

"Perhaps that would help," I remarked, thoughtfully.

"Well," said my aunt, impatiently, after a short pause, "whom do you suggest?"

I thought for a moment.

"What do you say to Winifred Fraser?"

"That minx?" cried my aunt.

"Oh Alfred!" echoed my mother.

"Why not?" I asked.

"Such a deardful family!" said my mother.

"So fast!" interjected my aunt.

"But have you never noticed the sun on her hair?" I asked innocently.

My aunt drew herself up.

"We have not noticed the sun on her hair," she said, with much dignity, "nor do we wish to observe the sun on her hair."

I was justly annoyed. "I really think it must be Winifred Fraser," I said. "She is very fond of me, and"—

"How can you be so cruel to me?" cried my mother. "Have you noticed how gray my hair is getting? You will not have me long." She drew out her handkerchief.

"You will come to a bad end," said my aunt. "I always thought you were depraved. If you marry that painted hussy, you must not expect my countenance."

"Under the circumstances, I will not marry Winifred Fraser," I said, with great magnanimity, for I did not particularly want my aunt's countenance.

My aunt sniffed. "You had better not."

"I merely joked?" I said, soothingly, remembering she had not made her will.

"Indeed!"

"The truth is"—I dropped my voice—"I am in love with some one else."

"And you never told me" said my mother, reproachfully.

"The girl I love is not free."

"Married!" cried my aunt.

"Not married—but engaged."

"Who is it?" asked my mother, gently.

I was silent for a moment, and then I sighed.

"It is Constance Burleigh."

"It would have been a much suitable match," murmured my mother.

"Very suitable," repeated my aunt.

There was a voluntary silence, broken by my aunt.

"I did not know Constance was engaged."

"It is a secret. You must not rap at what I have told you."

"I don't like these secret engagements," said my aunt brusquely. "Who told you?"

"She told me herself."

"Who is the man?"

"I do not think I should repeat his name."

"I hope Constance is not throwing herself away."

I shook my head doubtfully.

"You know the man?"

I nodded.

"Is he quite—quite—"

Again I shook my head doubtfully.

"What have you heard?" my aunt asked, eagerly.

"I don't think I ought to repeat these things."

"You can surely trust your mother," murmured my mother.

"And my discretion," said my aunt.

"Well," I said, "I have been told he is cruel to his mother."

"Really!" cried the two ladies in a breath.

"His mother told me so herself."

"How sad!" say my mother.

"And what else?" asked my aunt.

"Another relation of his told me he was depraved."

"Poor, poor Constance!" whispered my mother.

"And would probably end badly."

"I expect the drinks," said my aunt grimly.

"Does Constance know this?" asked my mother.

"I don't think so."

"You did not tell her?"

"Of course not."

"I consider it your duty to."

"I really cannot."

"Then I will," said my aunt, resolutely.

"What I have said has been in confidence."

"I do not care."

"I beg you not to do so."

"It is my duty. I am too fond of Constance to allow her to throw herself away on this worthless man."

I shrugged my shoulders. "Do as you please, but don't mention my name. By the way, Constance said she would probably call this afternoon."

At this moment the bell rang.

"That may be she," said my aunt, flying to the window. "It is."

I got up slowly and sauntered into the conservatory, which adjoins the drawing room. From behind a friendly palm I could see without being seen. I saw my aunt look toward my mother.

"If we open her eyes," I heard her whisper, "it may prove the way for Alfred."

My mother said nothing, but I saw the same hope shine from her eyes.

The door opened, and the servant announced Constance. She came forward with a little eager rush, then stopped short, embarrassed by the want of reciprocity.

"We are glad to see you," said my mother, and kissed her.

My aunt came forward. "We were just speaking of you," she said solemnly. "Sit down."

Constance looked a little crushed. "I thought Alfred would have told you," she murmured.

"We have heard"—began my aunt.

"Hush," interposed my mother. "Come nearer me, Constance. Won't you take off your hat?"

Constance came and sat by her side. "I was anxious to come and tell you that—that—"

"If you are alluding to your engagement," said my aunt, somewhat severely, "we have already heard of it."

"You have heard!" cried Constance.

"With the deepest sorrow."

Constance drew herself up.

"You do not approve?" she asked, proudly.

"We love you too much," said my mother, gently.

"Constance looked bewildered.

"You are too good for the wretch," cried my aunt.

"What! Oh, what do you mean?" exclaimed Constance.

"If you marry this man," continued my aunt, vigorously, "you will regret it."

My mother took her hand. "My sister should not tell you this so suddenly."

"It is my duty to speak, and I will!" cried my aunt. "I will not let Constance unite herself to this man with her eyes closed."

"What have you against him?" demanded Constance, a red spot beginning to burn in each cheek.

"He drinks," answered my aunt, almost triumphantly.

Constance sank back in the cushions.

"I don't believe it," she said, faintly.

"He ill treats his mother—beats her, I believe," continued my aunt.

"This cannot be true," cried Constance. "Mrs. Granville, tell me."

My mother nodded sadly.

"Alas! I cannot deny it."

Constance rose. "This is awful!" she said, holding on to the back of the sofa. "I could never have believed it." She put her hand to her forhead. "It is like a bad dream."

"My poor, dear Constance," murmured my mother, rising and putting her arm around her.

My aunt brought up her artillery. "He is thoroughly depraved and will come to a bad end. His relations are all one on this point."

Constance buried her face in my mother's bosom. "Oh dear; oh, dear! And I love him so!" she sobbed.

In the adjoining room I was becoming uncomfortable.

"We thought it right to tell you," said my aunt, moved by her tears, "though Alfred begged and implored us not to."

"I could never, never have believed it," sobbed Constance. "Poor, poor Mrs. Granville!"

My mother soothed her.

"How difficult you must have felt it to tell me this!" exclaimed Constance, drying her tears. "It was so good of you. I will not give him another thought. To treat his mother so cruelly! Oh, Mrs. Granville, I am so sorry for you!"

"It is I who am sorry for you," said my mother, doubtfully.

"And no one would have dreamed it. We always thought you were so fond of him and spoiled him so utterly. And all the time you were hiding your sorrow. How noble of you!"

My mother looked at Aunt Tabitha, who returned her stare.

"Who ever is it?" said Aunt Tabitha, whispering. "Find out."

"Where did you meet him, dearest?" whispered my mother.

"Meet him? Why, here, of course," said Constance, with opening eyes.

"Yes, yes, of course," said my mother, mystified.

"I thought you would be so pleased, and I hurried across to tell you."

"Can Alfred have made a mistake?" muttered my aunt, heavily.

The two elder ladies stood still in the utmost embarrassment.

"I shall never be happy again," said Constance, mournfully.

"Don't say that," implored my mother. "Perhaps there is a mistake."

"How can there be a mistake?" asked Constance, raising her head.

"There can be no mistake," said my aunt, hastily.

"How could he be cruel to you?" cried Constance, kissing my mother.

"Cruel to me!" cried my mother.

"You said he was cruel to you."

"Of whom are you speaking?" cried both ladies.

"Of Alfred, of course."

The two elder ladies sat down suddenly.

"You are not engaged to Alfred?" they gasped simultaneously.

"To whom else?" said Constance, in amazement.

"There is some misunderstanding," I observed smoothly, coming in at the moment.

The three fell upon me together.

It took at least an hour to explain. Yet I had said nothing which was not strictly true.

"You will not allow these practical jokes when you are married, will you, Conny?" said my mother fondly.

"I will not," replied Constance, tightening her lips.

"Marriage is the saving of a young man," repeated my aunt, grimly.—Chambers' Journal.

WITH THE JOKERS.

GALLEY TWO WITH THE WITS.

Fully Explained.—"You passed me yesterday without a word," he said reproachfully.

"Forgive me," she murmured.

"And have you no word of explanation?"

"Two," she answered.

"And they are?"

"A borrowed wheel and a mouthful of gum."
—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Traveling Repair Shop.—"Gweat heavens, Algy! do you always have a gwoom in attendance when you go wheeling?"

"He is not a gwoom, deah boy. I have the fellow along to make wepairs."—Indianapolis Journal.

Right in His Line—"How Long," inquired the Eastern potentate, "has the young man been in the treadmill?"

"Two weeks, O conquering king! And he told me yesterday that he was having a fine time, although the scenery was getting monotonous."

"Two weeks? Great Allah! Who is he, anyway?"

"He claims he is an American scorcher; but what that might be, I know not."—Puck.

The Alternative.—"What is to be will be," says the sage of Lannigunville, "and so I'm never afraid. If I'm born to be hanged I won't be run down by a bicycle."—Philadelphia North American.

Woman's Way.—"Gibbs at last has got his wife to ride a bike."

"How did he manage it?"

"Had somebody start a report that he didn't want her to ride."—Boston Traveler.

Significent.—Cycles—Which is the head of that family?

Wheelman—Well, I don't know for certain; but when they go out on a tandem, he always rides in front.—Somerville Journal.

The Sweet Old Song—

"Oh, come where my love lies dreaming,
She hummed in accents low,
And across that string of her instrument
She lightly drew the bow—
"Oh, come where my love lies dreaming,"
And out through the bedroom door
There floated upon the atmosphere
The sound of her husband's snore!

Cleveland Plain Dealer.

The Bicycle and the Kaisership.—Kaiser William's newest stated objection is to bicyclists. He is unfortunate in some of his fads. The bicycle is a firmer based institution than the kaisership.—Montreal Gazette.

The Fitness of Things—

Nature is bountiful and wise:
What would our summers be
If flowers which delight our eyes
Blossomed beneath the sea?

And when the autumn leaves all sere
Are bandied by the breeze,
Think what the world would lose in cheer
If oysters grew on trees.

—Washington Star.

Sallie Murmured Not.—

Delance met Sallie on the bridge, and kissed her on the spot;
The brooklet murmured down below, but Sallie murmured not.

The Three Roses.—

Smiling demurely she stands in the doorway,
Timidly happy as a maiden can be;
She's only a bud at her coming-out party,
Yet no rose at her girdle is fairer than she.

Lightly and gayly she's tripping the measure,
Graceful and glad as a frolicking deer;
She's the belle of the ballroom, a rose in full blossom—
The same little bud, but she's been out a year.

Faded and lonely she sits in a corner,
Not caring to mix with the merry young throng;
She's the rose in full bloom, grown into a wall flower—
The same little bud, but she's been out too long.

—Ohio State Journal.

Comparing Injuries.—Magistrate—What is the charge?

Plaintiff—She ran me down with her wheel, broke my arm, cut my head, sprained my ankle and bruised—

Defendant.—Yes; and you broke six of my spokes, bent my sprocket wheel, broke my gear chain, and punctured my tire.—Puck.

Valuable Moments.—

The chilling winds are blowing,
And the Autumn days are going;
Soon, ah, soon, it will be snowing,
And icicles will be growing
On the whiskers on the men who have to face the wintery blast.
But the thing that makes me saddest,
Or perhaps I should say maddest,
Is the fact that at this juncture,
I should get a nasty puncture,
And not be able to make use of all these moments while they last!

—Cleveland Leader.

A Trade.—A Missouri man recently traded two gravestones for a bicycle. He will probably want to trade back again about the second time he mounts the thing.—Cleveland Leader.

Difference in Air.—When a man fills his bicycle tire in the city and then punctures it out in the country, he can almost smell the escaping air.—Somerville Journal.

Reckless Habits.—"Mrs. Toddler doesn't trust her husband to wheel the baby buggy any more.

"Why not?"

"He's one of those scorchers, and the other night he nearly killed the baby trying to keep up with a man on a bicycle."—Puck.

Wheelmen in Politics.—Ten thousand Baltimore wheelmen are already enrolled as members of a campaign association. They will vote only for candidates for Legislature and councils who will pledge themselves for better streets and roads.—Baltimore correspondence Philadelphia Record.

Lost.—Jack—Then you have given up all hopes of winning her?

Mack—Yes. I have just discovered that my rival is a track bicycle rider.—New York Evening Journal.

Another Point in View.—"That's altogether too much liberty allowed in this country. Look at our public streets. There's no safety here for man or beast."

"I thought the streets were full of safeties. But what's the matter now?"

"Our pet dog went out on the roadway, where he had a perfect right to be, and just because he wouldn't get out of the way quick enough to oblige a desperate wheelman, he was run over and had his tail half amputated. It's an outrage, and somebody will have to pay for it."

"What are you going to do about it?"

"I am going to sue the fellow who ran over him."

"Where is he?"

"He's still in the hospital." — Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Everybody Wheels.—"Say, I'm thinking of organizing a league of American pedestrians."

"You'll fail. It will be impossible to get a quorum?"

—Omaha World-Herald.

Small Request.—"Is there anything I can do for you?" asked the visitor.

"Why, no; not much; said the man who had drawn ninety days for scorching, "unless you would use your pull with the authorities and get them to let me have a home trainer in my cell."—Indianapolis Journal.

New York Scorchers Humbled.—Forty-six hundred wheel folks, the largest number on record, were arraigned in the various police courts yesterday, charged with scorching on Sunday. In addition to being fined from $5 to $10 each, they had the mortification of realizing that as scorchers they were by no means "so warm" as the scorching policemen.—New York Herald.

He Was Next.

It was in a dentist's office. Three women, two girls and a man were in the waiting room, with uneasy expressions on their faces. One of the girls held her hand to her face, and was comforted by a companion. The men sat grim as a sphinx. The women were silently mournful. In the front room the dentist was working on a patient. Yells of a more or less subdued character issued at intervals from the spot where he was plying his "jimmy" and "ice tongs," and the women shivered and looked toward the door. The girl with the swollen jaw said to her companion: "Oh, do wish he would hurry up."

One of the women said to another of her fellow sufferers: "Isn't it strange that a person has to wait so long in a dentist's office?" The answer was: "It's perfectly terrible, ain't it?"

Suddenly there was a louder howl from the front room than usual. Just then the office door opened and a young fellow came in with his hand to his jaw. He took a seat among the mourners and waited. In a few seconds the dentist came out in the waiting room and said with a baneful smile: "Who is next?"

The man pointed to the women with a heroic politeness. The women indicated the girl with the swollen jaw. Just then author of the heart-rending howls from the front room made her appearance. She was red-eyed, and touzly as to hair. She had been weeping. The waiting girl with the swelled jaw turned to the young fellow who had just come in and said:

"I guess you can take my turn for a little."

The young man arose, and, with a gesture betokening the courage of despair, entered the lion's den.—Chicago Chronicle

A HERO.

It was the 10th of last November that I first made his acquaintance.

Perhaps I had better say "their acquaintance." I was staying with Del Giglio at his place near Florence, and that afternoon I went on an exploration walk.

One of the first things I saw was the dirty little Vin Vittorio Emanuele, their red caps nicely adjusted over their ears and their canvas trousers gracefully tucked into their yellow gaiters.

"Is there a regiment here?" I asked of the blind beggar.

"Nossignore. Those two are home on leave. They are off to Africa next week. Holy Virgin bless you, signore!"

I had nothing to do that afternoon, so I made friends with the two soldiers.

It was easy. An admiring glance, a question or two, and it was done, and we were soon seated in front of the cafe drinking red sirup out of eight-sided glasses.

The taller of the two was the talker. "Yes," he explained. "We go to serve la patria."

"Has the signor been to Africa? No? One of our lieutenants was once there, and it is said that he shot a lion—or was it an elephant, Vanni?"

"Tiger," answered the little brown one, briefly.

"Very interesting," said I, lighting my pipe. "Waiter, some cigars. And when do you go?"

"We go back to Florence Monday and embark from Naples on Thursday."

It was always Luca who did the talking, Vanni sitting silently stirring his sirup.

"I see you are great friends," I remarked, presently. "You are lucky to be going together."

Luca threw his arm affectionately around Vanni's shoulder and gave him a hug.

"Sissignore, we are friends since we were babies. Eh, Vanni?"

Vanni grinned, screwing up his little black eyes. "Eh, altro," he answered.

"'Ngiorno, Gigina!" suddenly exclaimed my two warriors together, jumping up and bowing with much impressement.

Gigina, a stoutly built, black eyed girl, whom I knew to be the daughter of the innkeeper, nodded gaily:

"'Ngiorno," she returned, with a killing glance, which included both of them. Then she passed on.

There was an awkward silence.

"Gelina," I began, diplomatically, Luca grimed and gave a conquering twist to his little mustache.

Vanni shuffled his feet and swallowed a great draft of sirup.

"Gigina is very beautiful," observed Luca. "We dance together."

"You must make a fine couple," I answered.

"Mmm! Non c'e male—not so bad. Vanni is too short for her."

"But Vanni has fine shoulders," I ventured, mildly.

Vanni rubbed his nose with the back of his hand.

"She weighs more than Luca," he said.

Luca shifted. "She gave me the red rose she wore in her hair at the fair."

"And you lost it."

Vanni leaned his elbows squarely on the table and grinned at his dearest friend.

"Bah!" retorted Luca, angrily. "She will give me another. You never had a rose, flat nose!"

"She walked from church with me on Sunday," bandy legs," screamed Vanni.

"Che! Because I was with Assunta Bill. It is well to make them jealous sometimes. But you, son of a pauper!"

They had risen and were facing each other across the table—Vanni white with rage, Luca sneering nastily.

I was about to interfere when Vanni suddenly sat down.

"We are forgetting our compact, Luchino, mio," he said, drawing a long breath.

Luca nodded.

"Thou art right, dear little one." And they shook hands.

"Il signore will think us mad," said Luca politely to me.

I raised my hand in deprecation.

"Dio mio! I too, was once young, my children," I answered, "and when one is in love."

Luca jerked the tassle of his cap over his ear and threw out his chest.

"E vero," he said, with a self-satisfied air, "and we are amoroso tutt' e due, ann't we, Vanni?"

Vanni, who was of a much less expansive nature, only grunted and nodded his head.

"You see," continued Luca, as the greasy waiter provided us with more sirup—"you see, we are both in love—oh, very much in love with Gigina! Sometimes we have almost hated each other on her account. But we are migliori amici, and that would be a pity."

I assented, and he resumed.

"Gigina, she is very teasing, very gay. She always says: 'One or the other.' That is very well, but after all, even best friends can't share a wife. Can they, Vanni? So now we go to the war, and when we come back she will take one of the other of us. In the meantime we are always loving friends."

Vanni held out his square, brown paw, and the two men shook hands peacefully.

"The signore will understand that Gigina will marry the one who brings back the most glory."

It was the taciturn Vanni who volunteered this information.

I rose. "Ebbene, good luck to you both, and may the best man win."

I shook hands with them and turned to go.

"I am bigger than Vanni," observed Luca, valiglorioulsly, as I departed.

The next day but one they went. All the village was at the station to see the last of them. Vanni cried like a baby as his old mother clung to him. Luca strutted about, tossing his cock-feathered head, and telling of all the things he meant to do "down there." Gigina was gorgeous in a new flowered kerchief and a green satin corset.

"Good bye, my girl," said Luca, taking her two hands in his. "I will return with a medal. You will be proud of me."

He was certainly handsome, far handsomer than little Vanni, who stammered: "Addio, Gigina. May the Holy Virgin bless you."

Early in March Del Giglio had to go to San Giorgio on some farm business, and I went with him. The day after our arrival there was a great excitement in the village. The two soldiers were coming home. I went to the station, you may be sure. When the train arrived there was a hush. Then out of a third class carriage stepped Vanni.

On the step he turned and half lifted down in his arms Luca.

Poor, vain Luca! His right arm was gone and one of his beautiful eyes. Some one screamed. It was the buxom Gigina.

The silence was broken, and amid the ensuing glamor I stole away.

The next day at about 5 o'clock I strolled into the old cathedral. It was unusually empty at that hour, and I liked roaming about in the dusk. Suddenly I heard a sob. There in front of a little side altar knelt a man. It was Vanni.

"Poor boy!" I thought. "He is praying for his friend."

And I was moving quitely away when he looked up and saw me.

"Ah, signore!" he cried. "It is you?"

"Yes," I answered. "What is wrong?"

He crossed himself, rose hastily and led me to a bench near by.

"The signore is kind," he said, still with that pathetic catch in his voice, "and he knew about—it—before. He will help me."

"He will try," I returned. "Tell me."

"You have seen Luca, signore?"

"Yes."

"And—his gold watch?"

"Yes." Had not all the world—the world, that is, of San Giorgio—seen the watch and heard of the story of how poor young Lieutenant Allegri had given it just before his death, to the brave San Giorgiano? Was it not in the Gionale? Did not the village throb with proud excitement over the tale?"

"Yes," I answered. "What then?"

"Ebbene, it is mine, signore—mine. It was I who carried il povro signore tenete back from the front under the terrible rain of fire. It was to me to have the watch."

"But then," I said, utterly at sea. "then, how has Luca got the watch?"

Because I gave it to him. Dio mio! Oh, Gigina!"

"Don't be a fool," I said, impatiently, "but tell me."

"If il buonissimos, signore will but help me not to be a sneak."

"He didn't look a sneak, this poor little miserable Giovanni.

"A sneak?" I repeated. "Tell me and I'll do my best. Why did you give the watch to Luca?"

He straightened back his shoulders then and told me.

"It was because his poor eyes were gone and his poor arm. He said to me: 'Now, Vanni, you have no wound, you have the watch, and you will also have Gigina. No girl would ever marry a one armed man with only one eye.' It was in the hospital at Massana, the day I first saw him, the poor boy. 'You have all, and I, your poor friend, have nothing. Goodbye, I will kill myself.' He was always my miglior anico signore, and I was in despair. 'Yes,' he said, 'I will kill myself and then perhaps she will be sorry.' So if I was to have Gigina, what did I care for the watch? I gave it to him."

He paused.

"E poi? I suggested.

"Sissignore, and then—Gigina says to me: "Shame on you, Vanni! To come home unhurt with no honors! I will marry Luca!' And now I am home, and they all dispise me," went on the poor lad, "and Gigina laughs at me. She seems to think it is my fault perhaps that Luca has lost an arm and an eye. Oh, Dio!" he cried suddenly, rising. "I am so afraid I will tell. I nearly told them all just now in the piazza. I ran away and came in here."

"Luca is a canaglia," I said.

"Oh, no, but his life is ruined, poveretto, and he was molto bello. Only," he hesitated in his loyalty, "I think—non importa. But, per l'amor di Dio, signore, tell me, what must I do?"

There was something of the fatalist in the way he looked at me. I know that whatever I might advise he would do.

"The fault would be mine, the responsibility no longer his.

"Come to the station tomorrow at 4 o'clock," I said at length. "I will take you to Florence with me."

On my way to the station I called on Luca. He was sitting outside in the sun in a big pillow filled chair, surrounded by a crowd of admirers. Beside him sat Gigina, beaming with pride.

"Buon giruo, signore," she said. "Isn't it a pity that he has lost an arm and an eye? But I don't care, and we are to be married on Saturday."

She played ostentatiously with the watch which she wore on a cord around her brown neck.

"I hear Vanni Bernelli is going with you. Then he won't be here for the wedding."

She smiled consciously. I began to pity Luca.

"Poor boy, perhaps it's just as well.

Some of the bystanders laughed, and Luca twisted his poor, thin fingers nervously about the buttons of his coat.

"Oh, yes," continued the village beauty, "he is a good lad, Vanni, but—a girl doesn't have the chance every day of marrying a hero."

I looked significantly at Luca, who was watching me from under his bandage.

"And it isn't every day that she knows enough to accept him when she has the chance," I said.—Exchange.

NOTES ABOUT NOTABLES

John Wesley said: "My mother had ten children; each one of them had spirit enough, yet not one of them was ever heard to cry after it was a year old."

Lord Archibald Campbell's daughter, Lady Elspeth, is an expert player of the bagpipes, and has made the instrument of her people more favorably known to her fashionable companions than of old.

George Peacock, the gravedigger at Gillingham, near Chatham, England, has just died, aged 75. He had held the position for thirty-seven years, and during that period had buried over 12,000 persons.

Judge Gray, while officiating at a marriage ceremony at Bowling Green, Ky., the other day, was so flustrated by the beauty of the bride that he asked her if she would "solemnly promise to love, support and protect this man."

Isidore Wolfe, a merchant of Camden, S. C., was shot in the face by a ruffian seven years ago, and the bullet split on his cheek bone. One half was extracted, but the other half could not be found. The other day Mr. Wolfe had a severe sneezing fit, and the piece of bullet flew out.

On the floor of a private dining-room in a Minneapolis restaurant a waiter found a $100 bill one night. The next day the proprietor of the place was called to the long-distance telephone and a man told him of having lost a $100 bill. The waiter who found the money identified the man by his voice.

W. E. H. Lecky is an enthusiastic book hunter. It is related that immediately after his nomination in December, 1895, as a candidate for Dublin University, he retired from the scene of excitement in the examination hall of Trinity College to a well known Dublin bookseller's establishment, where he was quickly absorbed in the purchase of "St. Patrick's Purgatory," a work which his electioneering experiences no doubt, invested with a special charm.

Under the name of Windover Mrs. Elizabeth Phelps Ward drew a very unflattering picture of the city of Gloucester, Mass., in her novel, "A Singular Life." Ever since the first appearance of the book the people of Gloucester have felt indignant at what they believe to be an injustice of the picture drawn by Mrs. Ward, and a prominent member of the Gloucester bar has just written a pamphlet entitled, "A Singular Life Reviewed and Gloucester Vindicated," in which the alleged mistakes and inconsistencies of the book are held up to view.

Major J. Hodge Tyler, the Democratic nominee for Governor of Virginia, is adding much to the humor of the campaign. The other day he said: "This is the dryest ticket that the people of Virginia were ever asked to vote for. 'Jack Monteague never drinks anything but Dan river mud. 'Ed' Echols doesn't know the difference between wine and pokeberry juice. As for myself, I never drink anythink stronger than unspiked buttermilk." He declared that much of the land in Virginia is so poor that "we will have to fertilize our graves in order to insure our resurrection." He further said that the ticket of which he was the head was entitled to support "because it was made up of black-headed man, a red headed man, and a bald headed man—variety enough to suit everybody.

The Greatest of These Three.

He was the first of all her husband's friend, and then her own; and this is the story of how she saved him in a time of great danger, and stood herself on the brink of another and greater peril.

Evey Lancaster was one of those women who marry men they averagely love, and are faithful wives and devoted mothers so long as passion, going down the country lane of their peaceful lives, passes them on the other side. She, perhaps, loved her husband more than these women usually do, but then she was made of sterner stuff, and where there is more to conquer there is more to suffer. Small blame to her, since heaven had made her charming; small blame to Edward Vereker, her husband's friend, since he found her so, and he himself as goodly a man as you would meet on any summer's day. Her husband, David Lancaster, was a goodly man, too, and worthy of her, and of Edward Vereker, his friend.

But there were three of them, and three is an evil number concerning men and women.

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It was during the summer of 1893 that Edward Vereker and Evey, his friend's wife, began to be more than friends. He was staying with the Lancasters down in Surrey, in their pretty little red house on the edge of the pretty little river, and David was going up and down to London every day, because it was yet early, and the various vacations and holidays had not begun. So he and she were left a good deal on each other's hands. Satan found mischief, not for those idle hands, but for idle eyes, for that summer one's hands remained in one's lap, and it was too hot even to talk, but it is as easy to look at one's neighbor as to stare blankly into space, and eyes can do a great deal by themselves, take it all together.

So these two sat in the shady garden under the big cedars and looked at one another for want of something better to do, and found the occupation suffice for all their needs.

Evey Lancaster was a good woman—by nature, not by art. I mean she was naturally good, and had not become so by trying very hard. She had been well brought up; she read decent books, and, therefore, only a few, and she meant every word of her share in the marriage service.

But alas! and alas! she was a woman, and a pretty one, and Edward Vereker was good looking and a man, though somewhat unusually moral and possessed of a sense of honor. Moreover, they both loved David. But David was away all day, and—I mistrust June and the devil in a green garden.

I don't know that anything would have come of it if tragedy had not stepped in; Adelphia tragedy, battle, murder and sudden death in one of its most appalling forms in the shape of hydrophobia.

Evey and Edward had been unnecessarily energetic that day; perhaps they both uncomfortably realized that sitting under the trees saying nothing was becoming a little exciting. At any rate, Evey went to the gun room and brought out a Smith and Wesson, .308, of her husband's, and they set up a mark in the meadow outside the garden, and, having prudently removed the cows, practiced shooting in the cool of the day. They shot very badly, but they had to look at the target, and that was comparative safety. They got tired of it at last, and she sat down under one of the great oak trees flanking the garden with the revolver in her lap, while he sauntered across the grass to rearrange the somewhat shaky target.

She was near the gate leading to the road, and it was open, for the cows had gone that way to the farm yard, and in June, '93, gates that it was not an imperative necessity to shut remained open for coolness' sake.

And here the Adelphi melodrama came in, and through the open gate, too, heralded by "shouts outside"—a strange, heart sickening clamor coming up from the hush of evening distance—hoarse, scared yells, and the tramp of running feet, and confused directions apparently issued in many voices. And through the open gate a horror rushed, a creature with dripping jaws and staring eyes, a big black retriever, bearing in its strange, altered state but little resemblance to the friendly, kindly dog of a few days back; and at its heels a concourse of men armed with sticks and farm implements, and any weapon that could be hastily snatched up, but none, alas! with a gun.

Evey Lancaster, revolver in hand, with shells still remaining in a couple of chambers, saw the mad dog enter the meadow and make straight across it, out over the sunburnt grass to where Edward Vereker was walking towards the target. She was under the shadows of the hedge, broadside on, as it were, and the dog never noticed her.

Edward Vereker turned on his heel at the sound of the noise at the gate, and, like Evey, took in the situation at a glance. But he was absolutely unarmed—he had not even a stick, and he was alone in the midst of a wide field with death in its foulest form not 30 yards from him.

Then Evey Lancaster, from where she knelt on the grass under the hedge, took aim and fired. She was his friend; and knew that his life was at stake, and that quickened the presence of mind and the courage within her. She was made of British stuff, and that steadied the shaking hand and kept the revolver straight; and though the first bullet went wide, the second carried true, and the mad dog, with hideous yell, dropped disabled with a shattered shoulder not 15 paces from him. Then the crowd closed in and put and end to everything.

Five minutes later Edward Vereker and the woman who had saved him, leaving the excited villagers still clustered round the horror on the grass, went back into the garden.

It was as much as she could do to walk now that the strain was past, being only a woman, after all; and the green garden was going round and round in a dim mist that smelt of gunpowder and grew blacker at every step.

He saw her falter and stop, and was only in time to catch her in his arms to prevent her from collapsing on the lawn at his feet. The earth and sky might wheel and melt into a blackening mist at will, but a pair of strong arms were round her and her cheek on a protecting shoulder.

Strong emotions make us view the world in a distorted light with our mental as well as our bodily eyes, and there was no David on the green garden behind the high hedge; only a brave woman, weak and trembling, with her head on the breast of the man she had rescued from worse than death—the man who called her "Evey, my darling!" and passionately kissed her.

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David Lancaster came home in the gloaming half an hour later, with a piece of salmon in a bass bag, and the fifth Globe with all the latest cricket in it.

Evey, up at her window, white and still, watching with half-averted eyes a figure pasing up and down under the cedars—saw her husband coming in at the gate, saw him join the restless figure and tramp up and down in company, and knew the story was being told him. For with the kiss had come awakening and shame, as it came with the knowledge of good and evil into the first garden.

Some time later the two men came back to the house, and Evey's preter-naturally sharpened ears heard Edward ascend to his own room and David turn down the passage to come to hers. She stood in the middle of the floor in her white gown, her hair slightly ruffled, her face drawn with the stress of emotion which she had undergone, her hands—hanging limply by her side. And David opened the door to come in.

She could not look at his face, but she understood as he walked across the room to where she stood, and took her straight and unhesitatingly into his arms, that somehow, in spite of all, he knew about the kiss and had forgiven her. And the kiss was all she could remember of her past life.

When David Lancaster went up stairs to his wife, and took her to his heart without asking for a word of explanation on her part, he did the one thing that saved him and her and Edward Vereker from shipwreck.

I read a story once, in which the concluding sentence ran thus: "And so, by a little thing, was a woman saved from the misfortune of a great passion."

Edward Vereker, having done all that lay in his power to atone for what had happened, left the house next morning without seeing Evey again. And her husband shook hands with him at parting.

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They have not met since, except casually in society, and then they meet and greet as friends. They had fallen a little way together and repented of it; and with repentance comes revolution of feeling, and with that end of all things that might have been, withered untimely in the budding of passion's poppy-flower.

So she was heroic, in that she saved him; and he was noble, in that he confessed his kiss to her husband. But somehow it seemed to me that the greatest of these three was David Lancaster, who heard and understood, and yet hearing and understanding, forgave.—Black and white.

CUPID'S DISGUISE.

Sweet Cupid sat on a mossy bank,
With a tear in his round blue eye,
His wings were draggled with silver dew,
And his quiver and bow flung by,
The butterflies came from the garden near,
And perched on his dimpled toes,
And a honey-bee sipped at his crimson lip,
And thought it an opening rose.

"Not an arrow went to its mark today,
"I wasted them all," he sighed.
"My wings and my curls too well they know,
So the men and the maidens hide.
My mother must clip my pinions close,
And must braid my locks of gold.
And I'll borrow the frock of a damsel fair,
My roseate limbs to fold."

So now no more in the flowery field
Or the woods where the thrushes sing
Do we hear the patter of naked feet,
Or the sweep of an airy wing.
He has stolen the gown of a pretty girl,
And her hat with its drooping plume,
And a cluster of velvety violets blue
From his breast to shed perfume

He has donned her veil with its broidered edge,
And her gloves of the palest gray,
And hides his brow in her fluffy fan
Before he goes out to slay.
He has clipped his wings and braided his curls,
But beware of his roguish eyes,
For sly little Cupid is still the same
In spite of his new disguise.

—London Evening Sun.

THE LATEST IN FASHIONS

A novelty dress material has the pretty and poetic name of "rain of silk." It is woven in woolen warp which is irregularly dashed with shot silk that seems to have fallen with the break of drops of water.

The shutter weave is another unique locking cloth. It is a cashemere in finish with the under threads of gay colors over which horizontal bands of black shades show through. The effect is much the same as veiling of fancy silks in quiet grenadines. This importation comes over from France under the name of talousies.

And now there comes a rumor of the straight laced tight fitting basque with smooth flat skirts reaching half way to the knees.

The sailor, which held its own for cycling and golfing through many seasons, has a rival in a new hat which bears the name of Military. It is in reality a combination of the United States cavalry and the cowboy hat, with perforated leather crown band with nickel plated harness buckle.

New shades in dress goods have brought out a number of more or less significant names. A blanched yellow is cream champagne; delicate bebe blue is debutante; Recamier is beautifully portrayed in a bright rose; a new lilac is poem tint, and a shimmering opalescent green is called the Isley green.

Mousselines de soie are more than ever conspicuous in bodice trimming and come richly embellished with white and colored embroidery in floriated figures; many of these have the natural colors of buds and blossoms. There are new raised effects on white and black gauze that represent flowers and vines with marked fidelity to nature, and occasionally go nature one better by dropping a glittering jewel into the heart of the rose, lily, daisy or forget-me-not.

A ribbon that has the merits of being non-crushable is a new production in mohair. It is out in Scotch plaids and checks and in stripes that take in the colors of the rainbow, and has the glittering sheen of changeable silk or satin.

The stock that goes with the huge cravats of glace silk must be made of very fine accordion pleated silk placed on a substantial foundation of what is commonly called collar board. The cravat when at its best is also accordion pleated and consists of two very full loops with a loose knot in the middle, which is well finished with a jeweled pin.

As the season advances velvet ribbons present an unusually attractive part of the ribbon counter show. They are to be largely used in dress trimming and the large variety includes stunning patterns in brocades, stripes, checks and mottled effects.

The Ways of Women

Of all that fads that women have invented the latest is the worst," said the man to his friend in the lobby as a handsome blonde woman swept out of the elevator and out to her carriage.

"Have you heard of it?" Did you see that she had hanging to her chat along with all those silver things? A chicken's foot!"

There was something very near disgust in the tone.

"They fix them up with gold or silver paint, tie a college ribbon to them and suspend them from their belt."

The other man smiled and quoted Joaquin Miller:

"Strangest of all the ways of women."